The Weather— Fair tonight and tomorrow; colder.

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NEW SUBSCRIBERS—The Daily News Record Since Christmas.

THIEF EXTRACTED $18,000.

Washington, Jan. 5.—It developed today that about $18,000 was taken from an express pouch between Atlanta, Ga., and New York. The Southern Express company received the package at Augusta, from there it went to Columbia, S. C., and it arrived in Washington early Sunday morning.

SOLDIERS SLAUGHTER ARMED WORKMEN

RUSSIA EXPERIENCES ANOTHER SAVAGE OUTBREAK—WORKMEN SEIZED RUBBER FACTORY AND HELD IT UNTIL DISLODGED BY SHELL.

Riga, Livonia, Russia, Tuesday, Jan. 2, by courier to St. Petersburg, Jan. 5.—About 5,000 armed workmen before daylight this morning invaded and took possession of the Provodnik rubber factory and the military, as this message is forwarded, are bombarding the factory.

The revolutionists killed the policemen who were guarding the building and a detachment then crept into an adjoining structure, where a patrol of dragoons was asleep and murdered eight dragoons and six stablemen and wounded 11 others.

One man managed to escape and gave the alarm to the troops, two regiments of which, with artillery and six quick-firing guns, arrived at the scene by daylight. In the meantime the revolutionists had thrown up barricades and a terrific fire was opened by the troops upon the defenses and on the factory.

In the midst of the confusion that exists as this dispatch is written, it is impossible to ascertain the number of killed or wounded, but many men have been killed and over a hundred wounded have already been carried to the hospitals. The soldiers are almost insane with fury.

WANTS

A Chance at Al Akerman, the Wrestler.

ALLEGHENY MAN STYLES HIMSELF THE CHAMPION MIDDLEWEIGHT WRESTLER OF THE SOUTH.

Al Akerman, the well known Lima wrestler, is becoming quite famous and scarcely a day passes without a challenge from some section of the country. The latest is from Professor Charles Reinecke, who styles himself champion middleweight wrestler of the south. He hails from Allegheny and is anxious for a bout with the Lima man and in all probability will be accommodated.

NEW SUPERINTENDENT ON TRIP

Bissell Will Inspect Ft. Wayne Branch Through Muncie.

An inspection tour of the Ft. W., C. & L. railway line will be made Friday, today, by the new superintendent, E. R. Bissell, who was recently appointed to succeed W. J. Davis, who has been promoted to the position of superintendent of the Peoria division.

Although Mr. Bissell's new official capacity became effective January 1, he has not as yet reported to assume charge of the position at the local general offices. In his visit over the line today Mr. Bissell will be accompanied by H. A. Boomer, assistant general superintendent, who for the past few days has been devoting his attention to the Peoria division and its new superintendent.

The new superintendent of the Ft. Wayne division is well-known to local officials of the L. E. & W., as Mr. Bissell, during his official career at Lima, frequently visited this city. He is a popular man and well liked.—Muncie, Ind., Star.

WILL CONTEST

Judge Miller, of the Probate Office, Thinks He is Entitled to Another Year and Will Make a Fight For His Rights

A Test Case Has Been Made in Sandusky, Ohio, and the Probate Judge There will Hold Over Another Year.

According to figures John Hutchison, who was recently elected as successor to Judge Miller, of the Probate Office, should take up the duties of that office on the 9th day of February, next month, but according to facts, Judge Miller may hold over another year. In conversation with Judge Miller this afternoon, he stated to the DAILY NEWS that he would contest the case.

Judge J. H. Tyler, of the Common Pleas Court in Sandusky, Ohio, says the law is very plain.

The following is taken from the Sandusky Register:

An amendment to the constitution of Ohio is law for it comes from the fountain head—the electors. No matter what it may be it is certainly constitutional. It may legislate men out of office or into office, extend terms or abridge terms. The only thing that can be done is to interpret the plain meaning of terms. No court can modify such law. The people have spoken and their will is final. Such a condition confronts the people of Ohio today. They have said certain offices shall be filled on even years and certain others on odd years, wisely separating the county offices, as much as possible from state politics. Who cares for the politics of the county sheriff, clerk or probate judge? This new article of the constitution abolished the former articles, and laws made there under regulating such matters. For fear that all officers elected under the old constitution should be left as serving without due warrant of law, this new article of the constitution expressly provides that "Every elective officer holding office when this amendment is adopted shall continue to hold such office for the full term for which he was elected and until his successor shall be elected and qualified."

The officers of our court house are not now holding office by virtue of their former election but because the people have put them in by the amendment. This is a very simple proposition, the people have a right to say what they wish even though they exercise revolutionary powers. No man owns on office. He is there because the people put him there. He has no vested right to sit in an office. The people made him an officer they can unmake him by the exercise of their sovereign right. The adoption of the amendment unfrocked all offices, were it not for the last section providing for their continuance in office. The amendment wisely provides that county offices shall be filled every even year. This effects that probate judges, for example, shall be elected in 1906, 1908, 1910, etc. To prevent the extreme frequency of change in this important voice the amendment provides that the office of probate judge shall be for four years. What probate judges? The amendment is in general terms and certainly means all probate judges of being at the time of the adoption of the amendment. It does not say probate judges hereafter to be elected. It applies to our probate judge elect and to the one now serving. The former can come up for re-election in 1910. His term of four years will then expire. The amendment provides that legislature may extend the term now existing so as to make the four year provision effective. If the probate judge-elect should take his place Feb. 9, 1906, his four years' term would expire Feb. 9, 1910, and that would not put him in line for election in November, 1910. If, however, the constitution gives the present incumbent four years the term of the judge-elect would expire Feb. 9, 1911 and the election could be held the preceding November as the constitution provides and thus render the amendment effective.

The legislature is authorized to adjust this matter by extending the term of the present incumbent and a bill will be introduced immediately on the organization of the legislature extending the term of the present probate judges one year. Should that bill pass Judge Curran will continue in office until Feb. 9, 1907.

WILL SERVE THREE YEARS.

Probate Judges Elected Last November Under Old Provisions.

Columbus, Jan. 5.—Attorney-General Ellis yesterday rendered an opinion to Gov. Herrick that probate judges elected last November are only entitled to a commission for three years as they were elected under the old constitutional provision.

The question came up through the demand of Probate Judge W. E. Parde of Summit county, for a four years' commission.

The attorney-general holds that only probate judges elected hereafter will secure the four-year term provided for by the constitutional amendment.

DOWN THE AISLE WITH ARMS LOCKED

La Follette Takes Oath of Office, Escorted by His Enemy, Senator Spooner.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 5.—Escorted to the bar of the senate by Senator Spooner, the man to whom he had not spoken for years, Robert M. La Follette, ex-governor of Wisconsin, took the oath of office as a senator Wednesday.

The leader of the so-called "half-breeds" and the leader of the "stalwart" faction of the Badger state, walked down the main aisle of the chamber with arms linked and smiles upon their lips.

One not understanding the bitter feud that has existed between the two men would have imagined them the best of friends.

ROOSEVELT-LONGWORTH WEDDING DATE IS FIXED

Washington, Jan. 5.—The President and Mrs. Roosevelt announced last night that the wedding of Miss Alice Roosevelt to Representative Nicholas Longworth of Cincinnati, will occur on Saturday, February, 17, at 12o o'clock noon, in the East Room of the White House.

DARING ROBBERY

Committed Last Night Under the Glare of Electric Lights

One of the Largest Hauls Ever Made in the History of any Town Larger Than Lima.

Since the shooting affray on Central avenue, resulting in the death of the noted safe blower, Slater, with the exception of the daring hold-up of Van Cleve Holmes, several nights ago, on west Market street, Lima has been enjoying that restful quietude which would make Gomer look like a disfigured coin.

Yeggmen have come and gone, many bank safes have been blown and large sums secured, but nothing to equal the haul made in this city last night has been heard of in this section.

The robbery had no doubt been carefully planned for weeks and the robbers have been masquerading about the city and in all probability make their home here.

The safe tampered with belonged to **E. A. Wilson**, residing at 213 south Central avenue, and after the robbery he communicated with the police, but before they reached the scene the desperadoes had escaped on a handcar which they had in the railroad yard nearby, ready for any emergency that might arise. The report of the robbery circulated like wild fire and as the **NEWS** goes to press, a posse of citizens have the guilty parties surrounded in a woods south of the city.

But don't get excited. The safe in question belonged to one of the children at the Wilson home. It contained two one dollar bills and 30 cents in pennies. The thieves pried the window up, reached in, shook all the pennies out, and left the safe and the two one dollar bills.. Daring, wasn't it!

MEN WHO WILL LEAD ONE OF LIMA'S BEST ORGANIZATIONS

To the Front the Coming Year—The East Lima Improvement Club

The East Lima Improvement Club.

It isn't often this organization gets into print, but notwithstanding it is one of the best organizations Lima has when it comes to hustling and DOING THINGS.

Starting out with a membership of less than fifty the East End Improvement Club now has a membership of more than 100—every one of them hustling, wide awake citizens - always looking out, first, for the best interests of the East End, and second, for the general welfare of Lima. They had their annual meeting last night and the many good things they have planned for the coming year will be held as a surprise.

One of the important matters of the evening was the selection of officers for the ensuing year. Here they are:

Sardius Abbott, president; J. E. Young, vice president; Clyde Williams, secretary; George McCauley, treasurer.

OHIO INSURANCE INVESTIGATION

HUGHES WILL BE ASKED TO CONDUCT INQUIRY INTO BUSINESS METHODS.

Columbus, O., Jan. 5.—The insurance business is to be investigated, according to a resolution that will be introduced in the general assembly next week. It provides for a complete inspection of the business methods and also the state department of insurance.

It will be requested that $50,000 be appropriated for the benefit of the commission, which will consist of three members of the house of representatives and two from the senate.

It is understood that the bill will be favorable to Governor Pattison, who is expected to say something about it in his inaugural address.

THE CZAR IN PERIL

PERSONALS

Rev. S. Newhouse went to Piqua this morning, to make an address before the missionary society of that place.

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Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Connell, who have been visiting their mother, Mrs. Andy Chute, for the last ten days, have returned to their home in Loraine, Ohio.

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Mr. and Mrs. Will Stephens have returned to their home in Cincinnati, after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Smallwood.

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Miss Flo Munnagh and Miss Hattie Coon have returned after a two weeks' visit with friends in Indianapolis.

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Mrs. Gibson Dildine and daughter have returned after a visit with relatives in Toledo.

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Mrs. F. D. Belford, of Toledo, is in Lima for a month's visit with relatives and friends.

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Mr. Allan D. Knisley left last night for Louisville, Ky., where he will resume his studies at the State University.

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Miss Gertrude Finley, who has been visiting in Mansfield, has returned to her home on south West street.

PLOT TO ASSASSINATE THE EMPEROR WAS DISCOVERED IN TIME.

SOME OF THE TRUSTED OFFICERS WERE MIXED IN CONSPIRACY—TSARKHOE SELO THE SCENE.

New York, Jan. 5.—A special to the World from St. Petersburg says an anarchistic plot to assassinate the czar at Tsarkhoe Selo has been discovered. Several artillery officers, men who have been most trusted and upon whom the czar relies for his personal safety are implicated.

The chief conspirators are a student named Wassiljeff, son of a professor in St. Petersburg university, and a student named Altonowski, son of a high judge in the Russian capital.

The students and officers have been arrested. The plot was discovered only in time to prevent its being carried into effect. One of the officers lost a carefully drawn and very accurate plan of the palace at Tsarkhoe Selo, where the czar and his family are.

The ownership of the plan was traced to the officer and a confession was extorted from him which led to the other arrests.

SCHIFF SAYS MONEY CONDITION IS A DISGRACE

NEW YORK BANKER DECLARES THE TREASURY MUST PLAY PART IN THIS COUNTRY BANK OF ENGLAND DOES IN GREAT BRITAIN.

New York, Jan. 5.—Jacob H. Shiff created a sensation in the meeting of the Chamber of Commerce today. Taking the floor after the dispatch of routine business, Mr. Schiff said it was a disgrace to the country to see the money market in such straits as it has been for the past sixty days. He said the cause was due to insufficient circulation.

"If this condition is not changed," he said, "there will be such a panic in this country as to make previous ones appear like mere child's play. If the President would put part of his energy into this question as he has done with the railroad rates it would be commendable."

He said there must be a cause for recent money market conditions. This was a condition that existed at a time of unequaled national prosperity. It could not be that speculation was the sole cause of it, for there had been even wider periods of speculation in foreign countries without any such rates for money as have existed during the past two months in New York.

Mr. Schiff said that last Summer he asked Secretary Shaw to withdraw government deposits from the banks, which were then gorged with deposits. The Secretary did not deposit money in the banks because he could not spare the money, he said.

While opposed on general principles to the Treasury helping the money market, yet so long as our sub-treasury system exists the Treasury must play the part in this country that the Bank of England does in England, declared the banker.

NO FAST LID FOR LIMA.

Mayor Robb to Pursue an Even, Conservative Course.

While all the towns in the state are announcing that the "lid will be on" during new administrations, Mayor Robb, of Lima, who has just taken his seat a second time, announces there will be no change in his policy. Mayor Robb has been neither a radical nor a conservative, but has pursued a middle course, which has pleased both the radicals as well as the church people. He says there will be no Sunday saloons conducted openly, and that in every case where a violation is detected of the Sunday or week day closing ordinances, it will cost the offender just $53.60, but he does not say he will use his police department as a detective bureau.

TRAFFIC DELAYED.

Traffic was delayed for over an hour last evening on the Western Ohio. Car due here at 6:30 from the east left the derail at the Lake Erie crossing. There were a number of passengers in the car who received a severe shaking. The car did not overturn, and, luckily, was stopped within a few feet of the Lake Erie track.—St. Marys Leader.

This Want Ad appeared in the News.

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VAN HORN & CO.
MAIN AND SPRING STREETS.

STEEL TRUST STOPS REBATES

ORDERS GIVEN BY W. E. COREY —RAILROADS ARE NOTIFIED TO THAT EFFECT.

Cleveland, Jan. 4.—The accepting of rebates and special rates from railroads by the United States Steel corporation and its subsidiary companies has been ordered stopped by President W. E. Cory.

A letter containing such an order, and signed by Corey, has been received at the local offices of the American Steel and Wire company, a branch of the trust. Railroad freight men who have attempted to do business with local officials of the steel trust have been shown the order.

It is said that one of the secret reports that Commissioner of Corporations James R. Garfield will make to President Roosevelt is the relation of the steel trust to the Pennsylvania railroad.

Robert W. Nye, local manager of the company, and local representative of the steel trust, put the onus of any such business on his general traffic manager here, John A. Coakley. "I merely control the operating department, and have nothing to do with the shipping end," he said.

Coakley is said to be in Pittsburg. Steel offiers in Pittsburg denied that rebates were accepted.

FINDS FREAK WELL IN CLINTON ROCK

Ohio Company Locates High Grade oi Crude When Hunting for Gas.

According to the opinion of high Standard Oil company officials here, one of the greatest oil fields ever uncovered will be the r[illegible] of the big gusher drilled near [illegible] Richland township, by the Butler Oil & Gas company. This well, completed less than ten days ago, is a "freak" as to [illegible] ons, but not so regarded as to the possibilities for crude oil as to the possibilities for crude oil of the highest gravity in Northwestern Ohio. The well is fourteen miles southeast of Mansfield, and was drilled for a gaser. As it struck into Clinton rock limestone formation at 2,700 feet down, it started to spray oil of so fine a grade that the workers thought it but water and started to run out the tools believing gas was causing the spray. As the tools were pulled there was a rush of oil, and it soon had attention, earthworks being thrown up, and retained as the oil dashed over the derrick roof. The well made 1,100 barrels for tankage alone, and wasted as much more. It is now producing 25 barrels daily. The gravity is 56 degrees, four degress finer than Trona (N. Y.), the highest priced oil handled by the Standard and now commanding $1.68 per barrel. The Butler Gas & Oil company owns 17,000 acres of leases in the immediate vicinity and farmers refuse to lease except on prohibitive terms, and few oil men are willing to take the chance.

WANTED—To buy one or 2 lots, northwestern part of city, Elizabeth, West or Murphy. Will pay cash. Address O. C. Parker, Kalida, Ohio. 5-3t*

W. R. C.

Mart Armstrong W. R. C. No. 94, will meet in Memorial hall Saturday evening 7:30 o'clock.

Amanda Sullivan, Pres.
Rosa Toy, Secy.

FOR RENT—Property for rent or trade in all parts of the city and also houses for rent. See A. R. Webb at office at Deisel block, or at residence, 207 Elizabeth street. New phone. 5 o o d-6t*

The Ladies' Circle of the Congregational church will have on sale at Rowlands' furniture store, home made bread, rolls, pies and cakes, Saturday all day.

A. R. Webb, contractor, has moved from 610 west Wayne street to 207 south Elizabeth street.

WANTED—An assistant at Kindergarten. Apply at 214 north Pierce street. 5-3t

THE AUTOMOBILE.

At Palmer & Owen's, 121 and 123 west Market street, will be raffled off Jan. 6th, 1906, 8 p. m. All Ticket holders should be present. 4-2.

Why Buy McClure's?

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SHOCK FOR SULLIVAN

Paris Sights Startled Congressman From New York.

GAVE HIM THE CREEPS, HE SAYS

"Big Tim" Declares if "Old Nick" Is Allowed Any Freedom on Earth He Has Taken His Holiday In the French Capital—Regards New York Away Ahead In Morals.

Congressman Timothy D. Sullivan of New York, who recently arrived home from abroad, wrote a letter to a friend in New York, in which he describes the remarkable sights he saw in Paris. Some of the best parts of "Big Tim's" letter are here reproduced,' says the New York Journal:

"We have arrived in France, and it certainly is a beautiful place. The first evening we had dinner at one of the most attractive places I ever visited—Armonarville, in the outskirts of the city.

"On our journey I got my first idea of Paris. We stopped on the way at the Jardin de Paris, a sort of music hall. They charge $1 admission, or 5 francs. A dance is given which would land the whole business in the Tombs in New York. Later on I found out this was a very decent place when you measure it by the others.

"The next day was Sunday, but there is no such thing as Sunday in Paris—not our Sunday. We visited the race course in the afternoon—Maison La Fitte, it was called—and it was one of the most delightful places I ever was in, with fine accommodations for the public; not like England. I saw many of our American boys who were riding there; also Eugene Leigh, who is considered the most successful trainer here now.

"The same evening we went to some of the resorts, and Sunday apparently had entirely disappeared. Every day you can visit places here of great interest, and the night is livelier than the day. How they stand it I don't know.

"Kessler called on us and invited us to visit the castle of Versailles the next day. He came with two of the finest autos in the world, one piloted by the famous Fournier, the ex-champion cyclist and in my opinion the greatest auto driver in the world.

"We stopped at Kessler's home and had a midday lunch of such a quality and excellent service that I would not like to state for the reason that my old Bowery boys might say I did not have such kind of dishes when I sat at Johnny Meehan's or Mike Lyons'. Then Mr Kessler brought us to his new house, which he is building at a cost of $2,000,000. We left in the cars for Versailles, and he showed us some speed, more than I wanted, but I was not going to let any Frenchman see me weaken, so I took the ride smilingly, although at some places we were going at seventy-five miles an hour.

"We arrived at the palace, and, oh, what a palace it is. A person could stay there a month and still have lots to see. I cannot describe one-half of it, as I have not time, but I never thought there was anything so magnificent in the world. We visited all the different rooms with a private guide. Mme. du Barry's, Louis XV. and all of the other historic chambers were visited. The furnishings are splendid, and the gardens and fountains are kept up just the same as in the days when those famous people lived.

"After leaving we halted and saw the beautiful view from St. Germain, which is hundreds of feet high. From it the landscape of all Paris and the Seine, with its valley, lies before you, and I can say it is most magnificent. We then stopped at Amenville and from there rode to the Grand hotel here (Paris).

"After a short rest we visited the cheaper part of Paris, where we had a splendid dinner. We then went to the Moulin Rouge, where they give a variety performance. There is a promenade there, where the ladies execute that dancing which is known only in Paris, and you cannot tell whether they are on their head or their heels.

"We also visited the Cafe Le Mort, where the waiters are dressed as undertakers and chant death songs as you enter and each man holds a wax taper in front of him, with a coffin for a table.

"There were ladies there, all sight seeing, and I wondered how they stood it. It gave me the creeps. Then we visited other resorts, and I wish to say right here I am for a liberal city; but, being a New Yorker, I am glad New York is not Paris. I would sooner have the city at the bottom of the river.

"In visiting around Paris I saw a few gentlemen who figured very prominently in reform movements in New York city. They were not personal reformers here by any means, so they must need reform at home.

"While everything over here (Paris) has been fine and it is a great education to see those places, for my part we have been away long enough, and now we cannot get home any too soon to suit me. Ireland gave the impression that if there was any good in you it seemed to bring it out of you. Somehow or other a feeling of sadness came over me.

"England gives a commercial feeling with their eyes to the main chance all the time. The Scotch are a hard people to get talking to. Then they are all kindness to serve you after you know them if it did not cost anything.

"Paris—the less said about it the better for Paris, outside of its beauty. But if "Old Nick" is allowed any freedom on earth he has taken his holiday in Paris."

CHILLY

Weather and Scarcity of Fuel

CAUSES SOME TROUBLE FOR THREE INMATES, ARRESTED THIS MORNING FOR STEALING COAL.

With the thermometer considerably below the freezing point, the coal bin empty, and not enough money to buy, is certainly a good excuse to visit some other man's coal bin and this is what John Harris, Ernest Howard and Andrew Spear are charged with doing. They were arrested this morning by a couple of Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton watchmen for taking coal belonging to that corporation. They pleaded not guilty and were bound over to the Probate Court in the sum of $25. Think how large $25 would look to a man who would resort to coal theft. Of course they hadn't the price and went to jail to await the action of Probate Judge Miller.

3 lb. CAN BAKED BEANS 7c A CAN AT DIMOND BROS.

Butterine 12½c at Townsend's

BOUND OVER.

John Bendelshies, South Side salonist, was, this morning, bound over to the Probate Court for assault upon one, J. A. Deemer.

Dressed Chickens at Townsend's.

REMOVED

TO THE CITY HOSPITAL FOR AN OPERATION FOR MASTOID ABSCESS.

Mrs. William Beelman, of the corner of Eureka and McPherron avenue, was this morning, removed to the hospital in Williams & Davis' invalid coach, for an operation for Mastoid abscess.

PRUNES, 5c lb. AT DIMONT BROS.

LEGAL NOTICE.

Marie Rader, whose place of residence is unknown will take notice that on the 5th day of January, A. D., 1906, the plaintiff, Charles H. Rader, filed his petition in the Court of Common Pleas, Allen County, Ohio, being case number 12561. Praying therein for a divorce from said Marie Rader on the ground of wilful absence for a period of more than three (3) years last past. Said defendant is required to answer on or before the 16th day of February, 1906.

CHARLES H. RADER.
By C. F. Fess, His Attorney.

3 lb. CAN BAKED BEANS 7c A CAN AT DIMOND BROS.

PUBLIC INSTALLATION

By Modern Woodmen of America And Royal Neighbors of America.

On next Monday evening, January 8th, in Central Hall, the Modern Woodmen of America and the Royal Neighbors of America will hold joint installation of officers to which the public is invited. Every member of both societies, their families and their friends, are especially invited to be present.

An interesting program of music, song and speeches will be rendered, besides the K. G. E. will give a public drill in full uniform. Meeting opens at 7:30 p. m. 5-2t

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WESLEY

WHOSE LAST NAME IS JACOBS, GOES TO COUNTY JAIL FOR TEN DAYS.

Wesley Jacobs was arrested a few days ago on complaint of his mother, he having been soaked with booze for a long time and was trying to make life miserable for those about him. The mother didn't want to be too severe on him, but she was desirous of having him locked up somewhere until he sobered up. She was then hopeful that he would drink no more.

Wesley was soon overtaken by the police and taken to the city bat cave. Here he was held until this morning when Mayor Robb fined him $10 and costs and sentenced him to ten days in the county jail.

See Townsend's Saturday Special.

ANNUAL PASSES

For Thousands Are Sent Out

CLERKS OF ALL LINES ARE NOW BUSY MAKING "PASTEBOARDS" FOR OFFICERS AND EMPLOYES OF CONNECTING RAILROADS.

Several hundred clerks in the offices of the big Chicago railroads are now busy issuing annual exchange railway passes. It is estimated that by the end of the month at least 20,000 annuals will be in the hands of railroad officers throughout the country.

Notwithstanding the many resolutions and actions against passes for political and business purposes, none of the big lines have as yet cut off the exchange pass with agents of connecting and foreign roads.

The Pullman Company issues annual passes to officers and traveling representatives of roads over which its cars are operated.

There are two annuals that the Pennsylvania will not call in. One of these is held by Miss Annie Thomson, daughter of a former president of the Pennsylvania, and the other is carried by Mrs. George B. Roberts, widow of another former president of the same line. These passes are in the form of little silver discs, are for life, and are good over every mile of track owned by the Pennsylvania Company.

GAME

With One of the Fastest Basket Ball Teams

OF THE COUNTRY SECURED BY MANAGER FINLEY FOR NEXT MONDAY NIGHT.

The Kenton basket ball team, the crack organization of the state, was defeated last night by the Conshohocken basket ball team. It was a remarkable game in several ways. The full forty minutes of time were played out with the score standing 25 to 25.

The visitors managed to secure the winning basket after a few minutes more of play. Both Akerman and Ellis were playing with Kenton, and did splendid work, but the visitors were too fast, and great surprise was expressed at Kenton and the excellent showing it did. The Conshohocken team is from Philadelphia and is the champion basket ball club in the Philadelphia league. East Liverpool has been defeated twice this season by this team. Manager Finley of the Auditorium has secured this team for a game with Lima Monday night. It will be without question the fastest game of basket ball ever seen here, and with Akerman and Ellis both playing with Lima, something will surely be doing.

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And Organized for the Coming Year

LADY MANAGERS OF THE LIMA HOSPITAL ELECT OFFICERS WEDNESDAY NIGHT.

At a meeting of the lady managers of the Lima Hospital the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President, Mrs. A. S. Bowers; first vice president, Mrs. Oscar Hover; second vice president, Mrs. B. A. Connolly, secretary, Mrs. Ralph Durnbaugh, treasurer, Miss Catherine Reilley. The following ladies will constitute the board for 1906: Mrs. T. J. Edwards, Mrs. A. S. Bower, Mrs. C. C. Kline, Mrs. E. R. Gallagher, Mrs. Ralph Durnbaugh, Mrs. J. W. Halfhill, Mrs. Jacob Piper, Miss Catherine Riley, Mrs. J. E. Ralston, Mrs. Turner West, Mrs. Abner Jones, Mrs. W. E. Penny, Mrs. John Keith, Mrs. J. K. Meiley, Mrs. M. F. Hoover, Mrs. Henry Deisel, Mrs. Oscar Hover, Mrs. E. W. Cover, Mrs. J. P. King, Mrs. C. C. Williams, Mrs. B. A. Connolly, Mrs. J. H. Phillips, Mrs. F. E. Herold, Mrs. Gus Kalb, Mrs. J. S. Nichols, Mrs. Wallace Landis.

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SAY IT'S ALL GUESS WORK

STATE BOARD WILL NO LONGER PREDICT CONDITION OF WINTER WHEAT.

Columbus, O., Jan. 5.—The state board of agriculture has adopted the new rule of making no report on the condition of growing wheat during December, January and February. It is claimed that weather conditions make it all a guess.

Thursday's monthly bulletin places the corn in the crib at 95 per cent of the average condition and estimates that 5 per cent of the crop is being fed by the farmers. The condition of hogs is placed on 94 per cent, and of cattle 96 per cent of an average for this time of the year.

A swine plague is cutting down the hogs in many sections of the state and feat of it has caused many hogs to be rushed to market before being finished off.

JOB PRINTING AT THE DAILY NEWS OFFICE, NEAT WORK AND REASONABLE PRICES. LETTER HEADS, ENVELOPES, STATEMENTS, BILL HEADS, SALE BILLS, BUSINESS CARDS, SHIPPING TAGS, RECEIPTS, BLANK NOTES, LEASES, ETC., ETC. ALL WORK DONE PROMPTLY BOTH PHONES.

THE SOUTHWESTERN LAND & IMPROVEMENT CO., UPPER SANDUSKY, OHIO.

W. V. Smith, Pres. & Gen. Mgr., and W. W. Runser, Treas., have just returned from a trip to Coast Country of Texas, where they went with a party of seven Homeseekers and investors Nov. 21st.

Five out of the seven will become residents of that delightful section where the weather is now so mild that the whole party were in bathing in the Gulf at Galveston, Nov. 26th, and were driving all day in shirt sleeves. The roses are in bloom and garden is being made. The rice crop this year has netted many of the farmers $40.00 per acre to say nothing about the cotton, the corn, the oats, sugar-cane and vegetables. Our next Homeseekers' Cheap Excursion will go Jan. 2nd, 1905. This is a good time for a farmer to go to test the climate. Arrange to go and take your wife for a fine trip. We have just purchased 320 acres of rice plantation all under cultivation. We offer a small block of guaranteed 8 per cent. stock redeemable after five years at 110. It will pay you to invest a little money in this as it is backed up by the most productive land in the world.

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Upper Sandusky, Ohio.

Write or call on our local agents.

A. D. Newman and Russell L. Armstrong County Mgrs.

Cross-Eye Straightened With Glasses.

This is one of seven similar cases of cross-eyes that we have straightened with glasses during the past year. Fully 80 per cent of all cross-eyes are caused by hyperopia or far-sightedness and astigmatism. When these defects are corrected and the eyes put in their natural condition they will tend to assume their normal position. Of course the younger the person the quicker and more satisfactory are the results. Should you or your children have any such trouble we invite you to come in and we will talk the matter over.

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LOCAL MARKETS

This list is corrected every day. Prices paid by Lima Merchants January 5, 1906.

New Potatoes	70@80
Hay, bulk	6 00@7 00
Baled Hay	9 50
Creamery butter, per lb	24@28
Country Butter,	14@17
Eggs, per doz	24@25
Lard, Per lb	7½@8
Bacon, per lb	10@12
Spring Chickens, per lb	7@8
Chickens, per lb, old	7@8
Ducks per lb	6@7
Turkey, per lb	13@14
Turkey, dressed, per lb	18@22
Wheat, new	78
Wheat, old	72
Corn, per bu	60
New Corn	38@40
Oats, old per bu	30@32
Oats, new, per bu	25
Hungarian	1.00@1.25
Millet	90@1.00
Clover Seed, per bu	7 60@8 00
Timothy Seed	2 00@2 40
Timothy Hay, choice	9.00@9 50
Veal Calves	5.00
Cows, per cwt	2.00@3.00
Heifers, per cwt	3.25@4 00
Steers, per cwt	3 25@4 00
Hogs, rough	4 00@4 50
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Ladies' Empire Coats that were $15.00, $17.50 and $25.00 are reduced to **$12.50 each.**

Ladies' Empire Coats that were $10.00, $11.50 and $12.50 are reduced to **$7.95 each.**

Ladies' Empire Coats that were $8.50 and $9.00 are reduced to **$6.95.**

Children's Coats that were $6.00, $5.50 and $5.00 are reduced to **$3.95 each.**

Children's Coats that were $7.50 to $10.00 are reduced to **$5.95 each.**

Children's Coats that were $3.98 to $4.50 are reduced to **$2.75 each.**

Children's Coats that were $2.50 to $3.25 are reduced to **$1.98 each.**

One lot of Children's Coats worth $2.00 and $2.25, your choice for **$1.48.**

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Ladies' and Children's Furs at 1-3 off.

If interested in Coats or Furs, we advise an early call.

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FEELING IS BEARISH IN TRENTON FIELD

VERY FEW RIGS UP FOR WORK AT THE BEGINNING OF THE NEW YEAR—DUSTERS PREVAIL IN EAST.

Latest Completions in The Northern Shallow Pools of Indiana Are Very Light Pumpers.

Lima, O., Jan. 5.—Work throughout the old fields of Ohio and Indiana is being generally shut down by operators, and fewer rigs are up with the opening of January than at any other time for the year 1905. However, the year taken as a whole has not been one of financial gain for either the operators or the investors in crude oil properties, who are glad to greet 1906 in a hope that it will prove a much more profitable one, as conditions throughout the country give every indication it will. There are no big pools in sight to cause a bearish condition, while contrariwise there is a decided bullish atmosphere as to stocks throughout every eastern field, and the next three months will see heavy drains on the stock in even the Trenton rock fields, the mainstay of eastern storage.

Kentucky has failed to produce an impression on the crude oil markets, and West Virginia and Southeastern Ohio, so long as present prices maintain, will not seek the drill in the deep sand districts, the only heavy production areas those fields possess. It is therefore left for the Trenton rock districts to maintain production with consumption, as Pennsylvania has become so dotted with failures, nearly one-third of the wells drilled last month being useless for oil, that there is little hope of any increase in production there—in fact, there is absolutely no hope of the drill being able to keep up with shipments alone.

Some New Completions.

Late completions in the Grant county field have been but light producers of the small pumper type. In Mill township, Joseph W. Smith in his thirteenth well on the E. Coggeshall lease has a 20-barrel pumper. In Jefferson township Shawaller & Thomas have a 15-barrel pumper on the Duling farm. On the T. D. McVicker farm, same township, the Advance Oil company has completed a new 15-barrel well. The initial test of the Huntington Light and Fuel company on the Billinger farm, section 4, made but 5 barrels. In the same township, on the Homlick farm, same section, the Huntington company got but a second 5-barrel pumper.

The Ohio Oil company's initial test well on the Bradford farm, Washington township, same county, is useless for oil. In Monroe township the Huntington Light and Fuel company have a new 10-barrel pumper on the John Keever farm, and on the M Marshal farm they have a well good for a like amount of crude. The Indiana Gas and Oil company, on the J. H. Connelly farm, made but 8 barrels the first 24 hours.

In their second test on the Irvin farm, Chester township, Wells county, the Sweet & Woodward company have a production of more than ordinary caliber, which has made 100 barrels and better since the shot. In the same township the Union Petroleum company's fifth well on the Daniels farm made but 10 barrels.

To Drill Near Daleville.

The Salem Gas and Oil company of Daleville has been organized by residents of Salem township. The company was yesterday incorporated, the capital stock being $4,000. The directors of the new concern are Francis M. Royer, John P. Kandell and Jacob N. Barnard. The new oil company will drill several wells in the early spring in the hope of either developing a pool of oil or finding a paying flow of natural gas.

LIGHTED MATCH

WAS APPLIED TO HER HAIR BY THE HUSBAND, SHE ALLEGES.

Findlay, O., Jan. 5.—That her husband applied a lighted match to her auburn hair, igniting it and burning her severely, is one of the charges brought against Ami H. Heldman, a wealthy farmer of Van Buren township, by his wife, Katie M. Heldman. In addition to this charge the wife claims that he has been sullen for the past six months and has refused to speak to her except to curse and sneer. Other charges are brought against him.

For a first class smoke, try the Effie Powers, 5c Cigar. tf

MAYOR ROBB WILL ATTEND

SECOND MEETING OF OHIO MAYORS' ASSOCIATION TO BE HELD AT COLUMBUS.

Mayor Robb has received an invitation to attend the second meeting of the Ohio Mayors' association which will be held in the council chamber at Columbus next Tuesday, Jan. 9th. At this meeting all matters of legislation in which the Mayors' association is interested, will be considered.

Mayor Robb will become a member of the association at the meeting. Practically every chief executive in Ohio, is a member and the association is bound to result in a great deal of good for the various municipalities.

NO COPS

To Serve in the Night

AND THE WEARY WILLIES SALUTE IN PASSING—THE DETERMINED EFFORT TO PUT ON THE LIDS.

Washington C. H., Jan. 5.—The police fund of this city having become exhausted the Board of Public Safety has temporarily suspended all the night police force, so that for the present Chief Smith and Officer Herrigan, of the day force, are compelled to do all the police duty of the city. Mayor George F. Robinson, Democrat, who on Monday last succeeded Mayor Bateman, Republican, has recommended J. C. Dunn as the new member of the Board of Public Safety, to succeed V. J. Dahl. Both are Democrats. M. S. Daugherty, Republican, is the other member of the board.

GAMBLING DENS

Will Be Closed and Sunday Closing Laws Enforced in Upper Sandusky.

Npper Sandusky, O., Jan. 5.—For the first time in the history of Upper Sandusky gambling has been ordered stopped and the operators of gambling rooms have been informed that if there are further operations the rooms will be broken into and the property confiscated. The saloons have also been ordered to remain closed on Sunday and on week days after midnight. The Sunday closing law will be strictly enforced and it is said the order will include all places of business with the exception of restaurants.

It Goes On To Stay.

Urbana, O., Jan. 5.—Mayor Wilson, the new Mayor of Urbana, called Chief of Police McGee and all of the policemen in his office today and issued orders that the lid shall go down tight in Urbana from now on. The Mayor said that every ordinance in Urbana must be obeyed.

EIGHT MEMBERS

OF ONE FAMILY DEVELOPED TYPHOID FEVER, BUT ALL WILL RECOVER.

Wapakoneta, O., Jan. 5.—Last August the eldest son of Albert Frantz, of Celina, developed typhoid fever. Four weeks later the second daughter was taken sick, a few weeks afterward the third, and then the youngest boy and the baby were stricken with the same disease. Mr. Frantz sent for his oldest daughter, and soon after moving to St. Marys, this county, in November, his wife was taken sick with typhoid fever, and a few weeks later Mr. Frantz was stricken and his life despaired of. In December the eldest daughter became ill, she being the last and eighth member of the family to be stricken. Fortunately all are improving, with excellent chances of recovery.

PATRICK MUST DIE.

Albany, N. Y., Jan. 5.—Gov. Higgins denied an application for a reprieve for Albert T. Patrick, who is under sentence of death for the murder of William M. Rice, a Texas millionaire.

THE PROPER THING TO DO.

If you want to be proper after the dance or theatre, drop into the Greek place and get one of those delicious hot drinks. 4-4t

REPEATED.

The Gwent Glee Club will repeat the concert of last week this evening (Friday, Jan. 5.). Admission free. But a silver offering will be taken at the door. At First Congregational church.

NOTICE—Goods offered at special sale prices will not be sent on approval. Telephone orders will not be accepted for goods on special sale.

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Electric seal coats, best quality, 24 inches long, former price $35.00. **Sale Price $25.00**

Electric seal coats, best quality, 24 inches long, beaver collar, lapel and cuffs, former price $37.50. **Sale Price $25.00**

Near seal coats, best quality, 24 inches long, former price $45.00 **Sale Price $35.00**

Near seal coats, best quality, 27 inches long, former price $50.00. **Sale Price $40.00**

Near seal coats, best quality, 30 inches long, former price $55.00. **Sale Price $45.00**

Near seal coats, best quality, 24 inches long, Hudson Bay beaver collar, lapel and cuffs, former price $50.00. **Sale Price $40.00**

Shetland seal coats, superior to the best grade Near seal, 24 inches long, brocade lining, former price $55.00. **Sale Price $45.00**

Shetland seal coats, superior to the best grade Near seal, 27 inches long, brocade lining, former price $60.00. **Sale Price $50.00**

Shetland seal coats, superior to the best grade Near seal, 30 inches long, brocade lining, former price $65.00. **Sale Price $55.00**

Shetland seal coats, 24 inches long, dark natural mink collar, revere and front, former price $75.00. **Sale Price $55.**

Natural squirrel neck pieces, many different styles, former prices $18.50 down to $5.00, $4.50 and $3.75. **Sale Price One-Third Off the Former Retail Price.**

Russian sable squirrel neck pieces, many different styles, former prices $22.50 down to $4.75, $3.50 and $2.75. **Sale Price One-Third Off the Former Retail Prices.**

China mink neck pieces, many different styles, former prices $37.50 down to $10.00, $8.75, $7.50 and $5.00. **Sale Price One-Third Off the Former Retail Prices.**

Sable or Isabella Fox neck pieces in single or double lengths, pelerines or Victorias, former prices $45.00 down to $18.50, $15.00, $10.00 and $7.50. **Sale Price One-Third Off the Former Retail Prices.**

American natural and blended mink scarfs, collarettes and throws, wide range of styles, former prices $75.00 down to $25.00, $18.50 and $12.50. **Sale Price One-Third Off the Former Retail Prices.**

Blue Lynx and Black Lynx in extra flat collars, Victorias and throws, former prices $35.00 down to $18.50 and $15.00 **Sale Price One-Third Off the Retail Prices.**

Large flat muffs that perfectly match all of the above mentioned furs. **Sale Price One-Third Off the Former Retail Prices.**

THE CLEARANCE SALE OF WOMEN'S CLOTH COATS AND SUITS—THE SAVING POSSIBLE IS EXTRAORDINARY.

Women's long coat suit, former prices $35, $37.50 and $42.50. **Sale Price $22.50**

Women's tailor made suits, Eton, blouse or long coat suit, former prices $29.75, $27.50 and $25.00 **Sale Price $19.75**

Women's tailor made suits, long coat or short effects, former prices $22.50, $19.75 and $18.50. **Sale Price $13.50**

Women's tailor made suits, fifty inch coats, kilted skirts, former prices $16.50 and $15.00. **Sale Price $9.75**

Women's tailor made long coats, former prices $12.50 and $10.00. **Sale Price $7.75**

Women's tailor made suits, about 18 in all, odd suits, but one of a size. Value $25.00 **Sale Price $4.95**

Women's coats, former prices $47.50 and $45.00. **Sale Price $35.00**

Women's coats, former price $35.00 **Sale Price $22.50**

Women's coats, former prices $29.75 and $27.50. **Sale Price $17.50**

Women's coats, former prices $25.00 and $22.50. **Sale Price $15.00**

Women's and Misses' coats, former prices $18.50, $16.50 and $15.00. **Sale Price $12.50**

Women's and Misses' coats, former prices $13.50, $12.50 and $10.00. **Sale Price $7.75**

Women's and Misses' coats, former prices $8.75, $7.50 and $6.75. **Sale Price $3.75**

Women's rain coats, former price $15.00 **Sale Price $10.00**

Women's rain coats, former price $12.50. **Sale Price $8.75**

Woinen's rain coats, former price $10.00. **Sale Price $7.50**

Women's rain coats, odd lot, fifteen coats in all, values to $10.00. **Sale Price $3.75**

STYLISH SKIRTS AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES.

No doubt the largest and best assorted stock of skirts ever placed on special sale in this city. The assortment includes every skirt in our remaining stock. Not a single garment has been withdrawn from the assortment. Styles for street wear or dress occasions in cloths of the very best quality and style, such as Panamas, Chiffon Broadcloths, Plain or Fancy Voiles, Men's Wear, Light Weight Cheviots and Twine Cloths. Black, White, Plain Colors and Fancy Mixtures.

Women's and Misses' Walking Skirts, black, navy blue and fancies, former price $5.00 **Sale Price $3.95**

Women's and Misses' Walking Skirts, former prices, $6.75, $7.50 and $8.75. **Sale Price $4.95**

Women's Skirts of panama, men's wear and voile—black, navy and fancies, former price $10.00 **Sale Price $6.75**

Women's Skirts, former prices $12.50 and $13.50. **Sale Price $7.75**

Women's Skirts, former prices $15.00 and $16.50. **Sale Price $10.00**

Women's Skirts, former prices $18.50, $19.75 and $22.50. **Sale Price $12.50**

Women's Skirts, former prices $25.00, $29.75 and $32.50. **Sale Price $15.00**

GIRL'S AND CHILDREN'S WINTER COATS AT EXACTLY ONE-HALF OUR FORMER RETAIL PRICE.

Girl's winter coats, sizes 6 to 14 years, former retail price $10.00. **Sale Price $5.00**

Girl's winter coats, sizes 6 to 14 years, former retail price $8.75. **Sale Price $4.38**

Girl's winter coats, sizes 6 to 14 years, former retail price $7.50. **Sale Price $3.75**

Girl's winter coats, sizes 6 to 14 years, former retail price $6.75. **Sale Price $3.38**

Girl's winter coats, sizes 6 to 14 years, former retail price $5.00. **Sale Price $2.50**

Girl's winter coats, sizes 6 to 14 years, former retail price $3.95. **Sale Price $1.98**

Children's cloth coats, sizes 2 to 6 years, former retail price $3.50. **Sale Price $1.75**

Children's cloth coats, sizes 2 to 6 years, former retail price $5.00. **Sale Price $2.50**

Children's cloth coats, sizes 2 to 6 years, former retail price $6.50. **Sale Price $3.25**

Children's cloth coats, sizes 2 to 6 years, former retail price $7.50. **Sale Price $3.75**

Children's cloth coats, sizes 2 to 6 years, former retail price $10.00. **Sale Price $5.00**

Children's bearskin coats, sizes 2 to 6 years, white, red, navy blue and gray. Former prices $3.25, $4.75, $6.75, $7.50 and $10.00.

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MISS ALICE'S FUTURE HOME.

LONGWORTH MANSION IN SUBURBS OF CINCINNATI—HOME OF THREE GENERATIONS.

Little Farm House of Grandfather Of The Congressman Is Still Standing On The Estate.

Cincinnati, O., Jan. 5.—Nicholas Longworth, third, who now holds such a prominent place in public mind because he is to marry President Roosevelt's daughter, was born in 1869 and has enjoyed all the advantages that accrue to those who fall heir to three generations of wealth and two of higher education and culture. He was educated at Harvard, graduating from the classical course in 1890. He entered the Cincinnati Law school the same year, but finished his legal training at Harvard. Two years were spent in attending to the business affairs of his mother's estate, and then he followed the example of his father, and embarked in politics.

Mr. Longworth enjoyed the confidence of a strong political leader, George B. Cox, and from him received the nomination for a seat in the lower house of the Ohio legislature in 1897. Mr. Cox was whipped that fall and Mr. Longworth went down to defeat with the rest of the ticket. He was more successful two years later, being one of a few nominees on the Republican ticket who carried the county.

Mr. Longworth's service in legislature during the first term was not entirely satisfactory to the leader. He enjoyed the pleasures of society to the hard grind of legislative labors, but he was returned to Columbus as a member of the state senate.

During his term as senator Mr. Longworth received his first nomination for congress. Mr. Cox was then at the height of his power and the candidate was easily elected. There was even less trouble in obtaining a re-election.

Like his progenitors, Nicholas Longworth, third, made a hobby of one of the fine arts. He is an expert performer on the violin and has gratified his tastes in the direction by the purchase of one of the finest Stradivarius instruments in existence. Added to his attainments as a musician is a rare ability as an entertainer that has won him many friends among those with whom he comes in contact. He is a quick witted and graceful speaker.

Rookwood, which will be the future home of the young couple, is an old mansion of colonial style, located on grounds one hundred acres in extent. The residence faces Grandin road, East Walnut Hills. It was built by Joseph Longworth, and is crowded with art treasures.

The grounds of Rookwood consist of rolling meadowland and groves of native forest trees. The groves are criss-crossed by tanbark walks and hard gravel drives. Rustic bridges span the ravines of the open fields. Greenhouses, stables and kennels contribute to the comforts and pleasures of the occupants of Rookwood.

The place is a part of the cow pasture the first Nicholas bought from Judge Burnet more than three-quarters of a century ago. On it is a small one and a half story frame house that the founder built for himself before he had acquired great wealth. It is preserved as it was then. The rustic fence in front encloses beds of marigolds and asters and in the vegetable garden in the rear flourish veteran stalks of thyme, hourhound and other medicinal herbs.

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MAY BE NO INAUGURAL

PATTISON'S ILLNESS MAY PREVENT CEREMONY—NO STAFF APPOINTED.

Captain Hughes, New Adjutant General, Likely To Be Only New Aide If Pattison Does Appear.

Columbus, O., Jan. 5.—Because of his illness Governor-elect Pattison has not yet appointed his military staff, and it is possible that he will be attended on inauguration day by Governor Herrick's staff and the new adjutant general, Capt. Oliver H. Hughes. It was expected that Mr. Pattison would arrive here tomorrow, but his coming has been postponed, and while this is not anticipated, it is intimated that on account of his malarial condition he may not be here on inauguration day. In that event the inaugural ceremony will be abandoned and Mr. Pattison will take the oath of office at his home next Monday noon. The lieutenant-governor and other new state officials will be sworn in here, without ceremony, should the governor-elect be detained at his home by illness.

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PRIMARY ELECTION BILL

Democratic Senator Follows Advice of Gov. Herrick.

Columbus, O., Jan. 5.—A primary election bill, designed to throw more safeguards around nominations, was introduced today by Senator Huffman, Democrat, of Butler county. It is in line with recommendations in Governor Herrick's message and provides that all nominations, either by political parties or independents, shall be held on the same day, the first Saturday in September. The petitions shall designate whether the candidate is an independent or party nominee and shall be signed by not less than three per cent of the voters who voted at the preceding November election. All primaries shall be under control of the election board and nominating petitions shall be filed twenty days before the primary date. All polling places shall be open during the hours the same as on general election day, and the vestpocket ballot is eliminated. The names of all candidates must appear upon the same straight Australian ballot, without party designation and the assessment of candidates is prohibited. Party central committeemen, one from each ward and township, must be elected at the primaries.

MABELLE

Will Never Marry Corey

ACCORDING TO THE LETTER SIGNED BY HER FATHER, AND HER ROMANCE IS ENDED.

San Francisco, Cal., Jan. 5.—"Mabelle Gilman will never marry Wm. E. Corey, steel magnate. Corey's disgraceful attitude toward his wife and unwarranted use of Miss Gilman's name in connection with scandal, has forever turned her against the millionaire."

So ends Mabelle Gilman's romance according to her father, Charles H. Gilman, the insurance man, at 220 Sansome street, this city.

The actress has informed her father of the change of heart in a letter from Paris. Miss Gilman declares she will never consent to be the wife of a man who would spurn the affections of a faithful wife.

"Mabelle has informed me," said Mr. Gilman today, "that she has thrown over Corey, despite his money, for the fact that he is a married man, which she did not know when she first received the attentions of the wealthy steel man. She will never marry a man who could divorce his wife for her sake. Corey's money cut no figure at all. I am quite sure. Mabelle has made thousands where other actresses have made only hundreds. She is a provident girl and her money shrewdly invested by her mother, my first wife, had made her wealthy in her own right."

NO MORE JUNKETS SAYS BALDWIN

CHAIRMAN DECLARES EXPENSES MUST BE KEPT DOWN—NEED OF MORE REVENUE.

General Appropriation of State Will Likely Be Larger Than Two Years Ago.

Columbus, O., Jan. 5.—"There shall be no more junkets of the house of representative finance committee to state institutions," declared Representative B. W. Baldwin, of Ashtabula county, whose appointment as chairman of the committee on finance has been announced by Speaker Thompson. Mr. Baldwin says that even by the exercise of rigid economy, the general appropriation bill cannot be much less than $12,000,000, which was the amount appropriated for state institutions and general purposes two years ago. In addition to this funds must be provided for a new hospital and hospital for the criminal insane, and Chairman Baldwin will discuss revenue producing measures with Governor Pattison.

Franklin Briggs of Fulton county, will be reappointed to the position he held two years ago, chairman of the house temperance committee. He is an ardent temperance worker. Warren Thomas, of Trumbull, will be chairman of the house judiciary committee. These and other committee appointments will be officially announced next Monday.

INAUGURATION SPECIAL.

To enable the public to witness the inauguration of Governor-elect John M. Pattison, the Detroit, Toledo & Iron Railway will give a low rate excursion to Columbus, Monday, January 8, 1906. Special train will leave Lima at 6:45 a. m., arriving at Columbus at 10:15 a. m. Returning train will leave T. & O. C. Broad street station at 5:30 p. m. Fare for the round trip, $1:50. Call on Agent D. T. & I. for full information.

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THE BAD GIRL IS APPEARING

SAYS FORMER JUVENILE COURT OFFICIAL OF CHICAGO—CHILDREN OF THE RICH NO EXCEPTION.

The Bad Boy is Disappearing and His Place is Taken by the Bad Girl—It is Asserted That Delinquency is Increasing Among Girls. Very Surprising Statement.

Chicago, Jan. 5.—"Children from the avenues and boulevards are just as delinquent as those from the Ghetto," declared William O. Lamonte, formerly associated with the juvenile court, in addressing the Social Economies club on the court's work. "The daughters and sons of well-to-do and rich people are just as bad as those of the poor; the only difference is that they don't get caught at it so often."

The bad boy is disappearing; the bold bad girl is taking his place, Lamonte maintained. "She is the girl who wears her hat on one side, swings along the street, smiling at every man she passes, whisks into the dance hall, whirls through the throng, tipples wine, snaps her fingers disdainfully in her mother's face, ignores her warnings. She is society's problem. Compared with her, the street gamin with the tangled shock is like a cherub with his face turned toward the sky."

"Do you mean to say that delinquency is increasing among girls?" demanded an aggrieved member.

"I do," asserted Lamonte. "I mean that and I mean that delinquency among girls is increasing much more rapidly than among boys; it is increasing at an alarming extent."

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The Detroit, Toledo & Ironton Ry will sell excursion tickets to Columbus and return Jan. 7th and 8th at rate of one fare plus 25 cents to the General Public and at rate of one cent per mile in each direction, for Political Clubs and Military Organizations in Uniform, traveling in parties of not less than 25 and bands accompanying them final return limit Jan. 9th. Get full information from Agents or write J. J. Kirby, G. P. A., Toledo, O.

OHIO SUPREME COURT

Is Not Very Far Behind Its Heavy Docket.

Columbus, O., Jan. 5.—The report of the Supreme Court was completed today, showing that there was a net gain of six cases disposed of over those filed during the year. The total number disposed of is 569. At the close of the year's work there remained on the docket 556 cases, and the fact that it takes from six to nine months to have a case decided from the date of filing shows that the Court is not far behind on the docket. There were 258 motions acted on by the Court during the period covering the report.

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LIEUTENANT

In U. S. Army is Reduced in Rank Twelve Numbers.

HIS OFFENSE WAS COMMITTED IN THEATER WHERE HE ORDERED A SERGEANT TO CHANGE HIS SEAT.

New York, Jan. 5.—For requesting a sergeant of artillery to change his seat at a theatre, First Lieutenant Roy I. Taylor, of the Coast artillery, is reduced in rank 12 numbers. He was tried by court martial last week and the verdict was announced today. The offense was committed at a theatre in New London, Conn., where the sergeant of Taylor's own company, in uniform, vacated a seat at the request of Lieutenant Taylor.

"It is hoped," states the decision, which is signed by Brigadier General Grant, "that the sentence of the court will leave no doubt in the mind of any one that the uniform of a soldier is a mark of honor which must be respected in the United States.

The theatre incident took place last October. Sergeant Patrick Butler, of the 125th company, Coast artillery, which was Taylor's company, was seated in front of his superior officer at the performance. Lieutenant Taylor was not in uniform. Nearby were some friends whom he knew but who were not members of his party. It was in order to make a vacancy for one of them that he told the sergeant to move. His words to the under officer, according to the printed verdict of the court martial were:

"Sergeant, you had better get your ticket changed and get your seat in some other part of the house," or words to that effect.

Lieutenant Taylor pleaded not guilty to the charge, saying that he had asked the sergeant to move but that he spoke as one man might to another and did not intend to convey to Sergeant Butler, the idea that he was being ordered to move.

The court's sentence is that "the lieutenant be reduced in rank 12 files on the lineal lists of the first lieutenants of artillery."

INAUGURATION SPECIAL TO COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 8TH VIA DETROIT, TOLEDO & IRONTON RAILWAY.—$1.50 ROUND TRIP.

On Jan. 8th the Detroit, Toledo and Ironton Ry. will run special excursion to Columbus and return account Inauguration of Governor-elect John M. Pattison. Special train will leave Lima at 6:45 a. m. and arrive Columbus at 10:15 a. m. in time for Inaugural ceremonies at 11:00 a. m., returning special train will leave from T. & O. C. Broad St. station at 5:30 p. m. Get full information from Agents or write J. J. Kirby, G. P. A., Toledo, O.

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ONE OF GOV. PATTISON'S MANY AIDES—UNIQUE GROUP OF CELEBRITIES TO BE SEEN IN LINE AT THE GOVERNOR'S INAUGURAL.

Columbus, O., Jan. 5.—Governor Pattison's aides in the receiving line, when he gives his public reception Monday night, will be few in number, but with influence covering the whole state.

They were chosen with a view to having in the line someone who knows everyone of prominence, even in the most remote sections of the state, that may call to shake hands with the governor. This will serve to make it a unique collection of celebrities.

There will be T. P. Linn of this city, chairman of the committee, who is a prominent lawyer, and who was identified with the gold Democrats. Congressman Harvey C. Garber, whose foresight enabled him a year ago to ally himself with the winner of the campaign, will be a shining light.

Mr. Garber knows about two-thirds of the men in the state. And it might be said in parenthesis that he knows a lot more since election than he did before.

B. F. McCann, of Dayton, and W. S. Thomas, of Springfield, who were candidates for governor, will be there, both because of their wide acquaintance and to show their good-will toward their successful rival.

Whitlock Will Be There.

Congressman Amos R. Webber, Republican of Elyria, who broke over the party lines on the temperance question and supported Pattison, will be there to greet those who followed his example. Ex-Representative A. T. McIlvey, Republican of St. Clairsville, will stand next to Webber.

Mayor Brand Whitlock, the popular Independent mayor of Toledo, will be with the governor's party. So will Charles P. Salen, of Cleveland, formerly chairman of the Democratic state committee.

Just to show there is no ill-feeling, John R. Malloy, treasurer of the Republican state committee, will be there to see the victors rejoice.

Other well-known men in the line will be George W. Sinks, Dewey Follett, John L. Shaff, of Cincinnati, Tod B. Galloway, private secretary to Governor Herrick, Congressman E. L. Taylor, of the Columbus district, Robert E. Sheldon and Claude Meeker, of this city.

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DEPEW

Asked to Quit the Senate.

Senator Bracket Introduces a Resolution in Assembly.

PEOPLE LOST CONFIDENCE IN DEPEW, THROUGH HIS RELATIONS WITH EQUITABLE LIFE, GIVEN AS CAUSE OF REQUEST.

Albany, N. Y., Jan. 5.—Senator Bracketr, of Saratoga, soon after the legislature convened today, introduced a resolution demanding of Chauncey M. Depew his resignation as United States senator from this state. The resolution in full is as follows:

"Since the adjournment of this senate, the people of the state and nation have been staggered by the relations shown to have existed for years between the Equitable Life Assurance society and Chauncey M. Depew, one of the senators of the state in the United States congress.

"Recognizing that these disclosures have caused a total lack of confidence in the ability of the senator named to properly represent the people in the body to which he was elected.

"Resolved, by the senate, That Chauncey M. Depew be and he hereby is requested to forthwith resign his seat in the United States senate."

The state legislature convened at noon today for the 129th session under conditions in some ways remarkable. The closing of one of the bitterest factional fights for the assembly speakership in many years; the expectation that many of the defeated faction would at once inaugurate a policy of reprisal: the understanding that at the opening of the session Senator Edgar S. Brackett, of Saratoga, would introduce his long-heralded joint resolution requesting the resignation of United States Senator Chauncey M Depew; the intensity of feeling in many quarters resulting from the disclosures of the insurance investigation—all these things drew upon the opening of the session today a degree of public interest greater and more evident than for many years past.

There was very much more than the usual interest also in the annual message of Governor Higgins to the legislature which included important recommendations as to life insurance, the mortgage tax law, the savings bank surplus and electoral reform. The political atmosphere was quiet after the speakership struggle State Chairman B. B. Odell, Jr., left today for his home in Newburgh. He would say nothing as to the speakership, the state chairmanship or his future plans.

COMMENT.

The Hindoos are boycotting foreign sugar A leaflet declaring that the sugar is refined with bone dust and ox-blood has been distributed broadcast by agitators.

Because he threw a raspberry pie against the wall a Chicago man's wife has secured a divorce and allimony to the extent of $30,000. It was only a few days ago that a Cleveland minister declared pie to be worse than beer in its effect upon morality.

President Roosevelt will personally present to Captain Church, now in the medical corps of the army, the medal which is to be awarded to him for conduct at La Gusimas, when, as assistant surgeon of the rough rider regiment, he distinguished himself in the face of the fire of the enemy. The presentation will take place at the White House January 10.

What becomes of the 390,000,000 tons of coal a year now produced in the United States? Railroads, iron and steel mills and manufactories are the largest consumers. The annual coal bill of the Pennsylvania railroad system is $18,000,000. The domestic demand increases every year. Coke calls for 40,000,000 tons of coal this year.

It is safe to say that this was the the only country on the globe in which 9,000 of the people without the slightest regard to race, class, wealth or previous condition of servitude shook hands with the chief executive of the nation on terms of perfect familiarity and equality. The scenes at the white house last Monday were enough to make the enlightened people of Europe reflect that somebody must be living on the wrong principle there or here.—Chicago Chronicle.

How different do the peoples of the earth take their pleasures! In a statistical book just issued in Madrid it is estimated that for luxuries the Spaniards spend annually more than $100,000,000. Of this sum $25,000,000 is for cigars and cigarettes, $20,000,000 for lottery tickets, $13,500,000 for bull fights, $12,500,000 for holiday making and $31,000,000 to settle the wineshop reckonings. Published statistics concerning the riotous living in Boston show that the natives of that place are more than ever debauching themselves with baked beans. A Boston dispatch says: "Last year they spent on the favorite diet more than the cost of two battle-ships or $6,598,272. According to the wholesale dealers 68,732 barrels were consumed in that period, and the demand is increasing."

Christian Scientists Bar Holiday Gifts

New York, Jan. 5.—Mrs. Mary Baker Eddy, head of the Christian Science church, has stirred up her million or more followers by putting the ban on the giving of Christmas gifts and discouraging personal congratulation on the occasion of the Yuletide festival.

This is her declaration on the subject, as published in the official organ of the Christian Science church:

"Do Christian Scientists love God so much as they do mankind? Aye, that's the question; let us examine it for ourselves. Thinking of person implies that one is not thinking of principle, and 50 telegrams per holiday signal such thinking. Are holidays blest by absorbing one's time writing or reading congratulations?

"I cannot watch and pray reading telegrams; they only cloud the clear sky, and they give the appearance of personal worship which Christian Science annuls. Did the dear students know how much I love them and need every hour wherein to express this love in labor for them they would gladly give me the holidays therefor and not task themselves with mistaken means. But God will reward every step of the way from human affections to spiritual understandings, from faith to achievement, from light to love, from sense to soul.

"Certain occasions considered collectively, individually and observed properly, tend to sink the activity of man infinite scope; but here merry-making or needless gift giving is not that wherein human capacities find the most appropriate and proper exercise. Christmas respects the Christ too much to submerge itself in merely temporary means and ends.

"Members of this church who turn their attention from the Divine Principle of being to personality, sending gifts, congratulatory despatches or letters to the pastor emeritus (Mrs. Eddy) on Thanksgiving, Christmas, New Year's, or Easter, break a rule of this church and are amenable therefor."

This last paragraph has been included in the articles of the church.

TEN MEN

ASLEEP IN CABOOSE ARE HURT BY ENGINE WHICH BUMPS THE CAR.

Chicago, Jan. 5.—Ten men were injured in a rear end collision between freight trains on the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad at Kedzie avenue today.

The men were asleep in the caboose of the first train when in the mist and darkness of this morning the locomotive of the second train crashed into the caboose. The injured were quickly removed to the hospitals nearby. The men were all from Wisconsin.

HAD TO BE CHECKED

"THE HIGH FLYERS" GOT ON THEIR HIGH HORSE AND WERE CALLED.

(Delphos Herald.)

"The High Flyers," a burlesque show company, held the boards at Sheeter's opera house Wednesday evening, and there was a fair sized crowd present, exclusive of the male gender. The show started off all right but before long it began to contain some rather shady fringe, and the Mayor and manager of the house served notice on the head of the company that the curtain would be rung down if that kind of work continued, after which the show was put on in a more mild form and was a very creditable one of its kind. Some very good specialties were introduced.

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PRESS COMMENT.

Helps Wonderfully.

The insurance investigation has helped out wonderfully. It has enabled a fellow to swear when his premiums came due.—Springfield News.

A Pertinent Question.

Russell Sage has been reported as having loaned $6,000,000 at ninety per cent in Wall street. Why use Shylock as the stereotyped allusion? —Columbus Press-Post.

Probably Not.

With all the receptions at Columbus for Governor and Mrs. Herrick, the executive will doubtless wonder if these are the same persons who were at the polls, November 8.—Marietta Register.

The Difference.

Andy Carnegie has an organist to awaken him each morning with "Oh Promise Me." Each morning a young lady taking piano lessons next door awakens us with "Everybody Works but Father."—Bellefontaine Index.

Public Is Gainer.

The members of the seventy-seventh general assembly promise to get positively stingy and tight-fisted in their campaign for the promotion of economy. It wouldn't be that way, either, if it were not that both sides are contesting for public favor.—Bellefontaine Examiner.

It's the limited express for the man who stutters.

MANY HONORS FOR A MAIMED HERO OF THE RAIL

Grand Island, Neb, Jan. 4.—A tribute to bravery was the letter received by George Poell, the hero of the Powell (Neb.) life-saving incident, from the president of the United States, advising him that he has been awarded the first medal of honor given under the act of February 23, 1905.

This act provided for the awarding of bronze medals upon heroes who, by extreme daring, endanger their own lives from any railroad wreck, disaster or grave accident, or in preventing or endeavoring to prevent such wreck, disaster or accident.

The daring feat accomplished by Mr. Poell was at Powell, Neb Mr. Poell was a fireman on a St. Joseph & Grand Island railway train. As his train was entering Powell the fireman saw a little girl standing on the track.

Mr. Poell crawled through the cab and alongside the boiler of the moving engine and stationed himself on the pilot, grabbing the child, who was a daughter of Paul Ussary, of Powell, sweeping her off the track and out of harm.

In performing this heroic act, however, Mr. Poell slipped, and was dragged a distance of 130 feet before the engineer could bring the engine to a stop, 40 feet of which was over a bridge. The brave fireman's right leg was terribly torn, necessitating amputation, and he was otherwise injured.

The letter from President Roosevelt, over his own signature, is as follows:

My Dear Mr. Poell:—You have been awarded a medal of honor provided under the act of congress approved February 23, 1905. You have, by extreme daring, endangering and almost losing your own life, saved the life of a child at the cost of crippling yourself permanently. The enclosed statement of facts sets forth what you did. No man could have shown greater coolness, greater skill and daring, or more heroic indifference to his own safety. It is not in my power to make you any material amends for the crippling injuries you received when, in saving the life of a helpless child, you so nearly lost your own. But I trust that the medal will at least be proof to you that your countrymen realize that you have performed a deed which will serve as an inspiration to every American who hears or reads of it, and which lifts by just so much the standard of the citizenship of which we are so proud.

With earnest hopes for your welfare, believe me, sincerely yours,

THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

Mr. Poell was elected county clerk of Hall county at the recent election, and he assumed his duties on January 4.

HURRYING HOME

WITH A DEAD BABE, BUT UNAWARE THAT THE GRANDPARENT IS DEAD.

Findlay, Ohio, Jan. 5.—Unconscious of the fact that his father is cold in death, Elmer Moore is en route to this city from the South with the lifeless body of a child which is being brought here for interment. At noon today, at the residence of a son, Levi Moore, aged 89 years, died from a complication of diseases. The funeral party will arrive from the South in the morning, at which time Mr. Moore will learn of his second loss. Elmer Moore has been in the South with a show company, being employed as a musician.

ROMANTIC OLD PEOPLE MARRY.

Richmond, Va., Jan. 5.—Charles Short, sixty-seven, and Helen Clark, a maiden of seventy, were married under romantic circumstances yesterday. The couple climbed to the top of Little Black mountain to plight their troth. An obliging minister made the trip with them and performed the ceremony.

THE AUTOMOBILE.

At Palmer & Owen's, 121 and 123 west Market street, will be raffled off Jan. 6th, 1906, 8 p. m. All Ticket holders should be present. 4-2t

A Dollar or Two Will Do.

Others own a good Watch. Why not YOU.

Our deferred payment plan enables you to buy a New Year's gift and not miss the money.

Any one with honest intention can pay us one dollar a week.. Take the Watch—that's all—that's easy—

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7 Jewel complete Watch.....$12.50
15 Jewel complete Watch.....$15.00
17 Jewel complete Watch.....$17.00
17 Jewel, adjusted $25.00

Others, $30.00, $40.00, $50.00, and $60.00.

Macdonald Jewelry Co.

135 North Main Street.

DECOLLETTE

Gown was Decidedly Too Low Cut.

GIRL DID NOT WISH TO OFFEND THE GIVER OF A BEAUTIFUL PICTURE SO SHE JUST FINISHED OUT THE GOWN.

She is a particularly rigid young Quakeress and has been opposed to the wearing of decollette costumes through training and conviction. Within the past few days she received from a young man a New Year's gift in the shape of a calendar representing a belle in a startling low-cut gown. Puzzled at first as to how to adjust her scruples, without offending the giver, the young Quakeress suddenly bethought herself of her natural artistic propensities, and, pulling out her brushes and paints, was soon deep in the act of transformation effect. Over the representation of the pictured girl's neck she painted yards and yards of fluffy lace, and except when closely inspected no one could surmise but that the original was quite as decorous in her costume as the most rigid Quakeress could desire. When the young man called at the house some time later he looked at the calendar in surprise, and then, his native wit coming to his rescue, he understood and prudently made no comment, though mentally resolved never to make such a misfit present again.

The young man in question tells the story himself, but not for publication. However it is too good to keep.

For a first class smoke try the Effie Powers, 5c Cigar. tf

NOTICE.

On the 4th day of January A. D. 1906, the Second Baptist Church, of Lima, Ohio, filed a petition in the Court of Common Pleas of Allen County, Ohio, being case No. 12558, asking for an order of said Court to enable said corporation to incumber its real estate situated in the City of Lima, Allen County, Ohio, described as follows, to-wit:

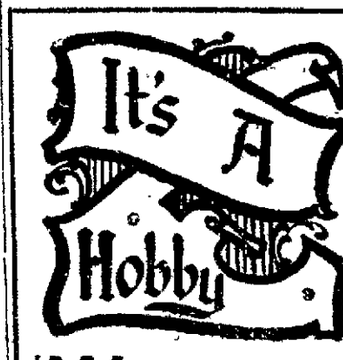
Inlot number Four (4) in Lamison's Addition to the City of Lima, Ohio, as same stands recorded on the recorded plat of said Addition.

By executing a mortgage deed in an amount not to exceed Three Hundred ($300.00) Dollars, for a period of time not to exceed Twelve and one-half years and to pay interest upon the same monthly.

Said cause will be for hearing on or about the 29th day of January A. D. 1906.

THE SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH, of Lima, Ohio.

By Motter, Mackenzie & Weadock, Its Attorneys. tf



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GIGANTIC CLEARANCE SALE

BEGAN TODAY.

Beginning This morning, H. A. Albrecht, the American Clothier, began a Clearance Sale of Clothing, Hats and Furnishing Goods that will enable the public to buy strictly up-to-date merchandise at greatly reduced prices. Having no basement to store out-of-season goods, nothing remains but to sell the stock to make room for spring goods. A cash discount of 25 per cent on Men's, Boys' and Children's Suits and Overcoats, Trousers, Hats, Shirts, etc. In addition we will put on sale

92 Men's Suits, former price $7.50 to $13.50, at $4.98

Men's Fur Gauntlets, former prices $3.00 to $3.50, at $1.98

Men's Heavy Sanitary Fleeced Underwear at 38c

Men's Jersey Ribbed Underwear at 33c

Boys' Wool Sweaters, worth 75c to $1.00 at 59c

Do not fail to avail yourselves of this money-saving opportunity. Everything guaranteed or your money refunded. Positively no goods charged.

H. A. ALBRECHT,

THE AMERICAN CLOTHIER.

"Meet Me at the Lima House Corner."

BLACK

Is Pres. Roosevelt's Choice

FOR THE PRESIDENTIAL NOMINATION I N1908, IT IS RUMORED IN NEW YORK.

New York, Jan. 5.—A special from Troy, N. Y., to the Herald is as follows:

Former Governor Black has the indorsement of President Roosevelt for the Presidential nomination in 1908. This is the gist of a most interesting announcement by close friends in a political way of the former Governor.

Of course Mr. Black will not commit himself in an interview, and no more probably could President Roosevelt, but the news has leaked out, nevertheless.

When Mr. Black called in response to an invitation by President Roosevelt to consider the taking of the State Chairmanship of the Republican party there was quite a long conference, at the end of which the former Governor declined gracely, but firmly. He did not care to figure in purely factional politics, because he has larger ambitions, the United States Senatorship for one and the Presidency, so his friends say, the other.

Since that conference and during which time State Chairman Odell has gone down to defeat a change has occurred. It is said upon good authority that Mr. Black has been induced to reconsider his determination regarding the State Chairmanship. It is said upon the same good authority that President Roosevelt, having definitely decided that he will not be a candidate for renomination, has declared himself for Mr. Black in 1908.

AFTER THE THEATRE

Don't forget to drop into the Greek store and try one of those delicious hot drinks. 4-4t

$1,000 FOR A 1905 DOLLAR

New York, Jan. 5.—"Want $1,000 easily won? Have you a silver dollar of 1905 coinage?" Here is the opportunity. An offer of $1,000 for a silver dollar of 1905 coinage is made here in the Wall street district. Only a few dollars were coined in 1905. It is stated at the sub-treasury this morning that none is held here.

MASQUARADE

Majestic Rink, Friday night. Everybody must wear a masque until after the grand march at 9:30. Prizes for most fancy and grotesque costumes. 3-3t

POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

It is often difficult for the young father to hold his own.

When the ladder isn't down in the world it is up against it.

A woman is satisfied with a photograph only when it flatters her.

One can be buried in oblivion without the aid of an undertaker.

Why are baldheaded men so sensitive about the hair they do not possess?

The less a woman has to say about being a lady the more confidence a man has in her.

If a man has a stiff income he can afford to have a stiff upper lip and a stiff backbone.

A girl will believe anything a man tells her during courtship, but after marriage—well, that's another story.

"Little Colds" neglected—thousands of lives sacrificed every year. Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup cures little colds—cures big colds too, down to the very verge of consumption.

COURT NEWS

Church Borrows Money.

Trustees of the Second Baptist church, have made application in court for permission to borrow the sum of $300 on their property, the money to be used in repairs.

Licensed to Marry.

Alfred F. Gorman, 22, theatrical man of Lima, and Irene Boyce, 19, also of Lima.

Albert Radla, 22, laborer, and Frances Caskett, 19, both of Lima.

Deeds Filed.

Max Bornstein to Thomas J. Edwards, quit claim for parcel of land in Bath township, $1450.

N. D. Stevenson and wife to Benjamin Boyd, one acre in Perry township, $35.

Mary Halter to Mary Dwyer, lot 4311 in Hughes third addition to Lima, $250.

Madaline Steiner to Paul A. Steiner, 80 acres of land in Allen county, $1.

MAIL ORDERS FILLED SAME DAY RECEIVED

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Foremost Makers and Distributors of Men's and Boys' Clothing.

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SUPREME QUALITY SUITS AND OVERCOATS,

Made of finest Materials, featuring every new Style and fabric—Revealing a rare combination of style and workmanship, highest development of the Clothes for all Ideas.

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INCOMPARABLE SUITS AND OVERCOATS, A vast assemblage of newest styles and fabrics. Garments that completely prove their superiority, and are a cordial testimony of our Value Giving Power. $10.

HIGH GRADE SUITS AND OVERCOATS In all the latest styles and fabrics, Single and Double Breasted Models—In fancy Effects and Plain Colors. $7.50

SUPERIOR GRADE SUITS AND OVERCOATS, staple and novelty styles, every one of them perfectly reliable in quality. They're made up in Eilerman's Model Work Rooms. $5.00

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All This Season's most Fashionable Garments, in every new style.

Specials for Saturday Only.

SUSPENDERS, Men's and Boy's High Grade Suspenders, in French and Silk Lisle Web and Leather Ends, at 18c

SWEATERS, Men's and Boy's Heavy Honey Comb Sweaters, an excellent quality, at 39c

WAYS MUFFLERS, Genuine all Wool Ways Mufflers, in Red, Blue, Black, White and Fancy Colors. A rare opportunity, at 19c

Direct From Maker to Wearer Saves you all Intervening Profits.

RAILROADS.

Pass Agreement Is Broken.

SMALL ROADS REBEL AGAINST THE PENNSYLVANIA'S EDICT.

Columbus, O., Jan. 5.—Announcement is unofficially made today that the agreement among the railroads in the Central Traffic Association to abolish passes absolutely is practically broken, and the meeting at Chicago yesterday to hear the reports of the Presidents of the railroads on the matter of passes was practically without result in so far as keeping all the roads in line with the Pennsylvania system in abolishing passes absolutely.

Among those present at the Chicago meeting were F. B. Sheldon, Assistant to President Monsarrat, of the Hocking Valley; J. M. Ferris, Vice President of the Ohio Central Lines, and D. T. McCabe, Freight Traffic Manager of the Pennsylvania Line west of Pittsburg, who represented Vice President Wood. The trunk lines like the Pennsylvania, the Baltimore and Ohio and the Norfolk and Western stood together, but the little lines kicked the traces, demanding that they be allowed to use their own option regarding passes to the newspapers. This was granted, and a dozen subcommittees were appointed to hear cases in the Central Traffic District, whre passes may be allowed. This, the trunk line officials declare today, virtually smashes the agreement abolishing passes.

Today the Big Four and the Baltimore and Ohio announced that they have mileage books for the newspapers if they want them instead of cash for advertising.

At the Van Wert shops of the Cincinnati Northern instructions have been issued that all passenger engines be numbered in the 7,000 series and that all freight locomotives be placed in the 6,000 series; also that the entire equipment shall bear the title, New York Central Lines. The road is a part of that system and is operated under the management of the Big Four.

President Newman, through a circular issued to all agents of the Big Four, announces that all passes will be cut out except those to railway officials and employes, employes of sleeping cars, express messengers, telegraph officials and employes and newspaper men.

Impossible to foresee an accident. Not impossible to be prepared for it. Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil. Monarch over pain.

BROKE THE COUNTY RECORD.

Upper Sandusky, O., Jan. 5.—Judge Young has dismissed the September petit jury. The jury never had a civil case, thus breaking the record of the county.

Taken from this week's "The Billboard" a theatrical paper, was the following: "Jos. G. Chandler has closed his vaudeville company and will next season star Bert Rickman and Marion Dray in a musical comedy entitled, "A Circus Girl." The two stars mentioned above are Lima product and their friends wish them a successful season.

AFTER THE DANCE

Finish up a delightful evening at the Greek store on north Main street. Before going home try one of those delicious drinks. 4-4t

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PATTERSON-HUBER.

The wedding of Dr. J. M. Patterson and Miss Pearl Huber, was solemnized December 27th, at Lewistown, Ohio. The happy couple returned from their wedding trip yesterday and though they have not yet decided on a permanent residence location, they are at present at home in apartments in the J. M. Barker home on south Main. The following extract from the account of the wedding is taken from a Bellefontaine paper:

"The home of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Huber in Bloomingfield township, near Lewistown, Ohio, was the scene Wednesday, December 27, of an event of much interest, when their charming daughter, Miss Anna Pearl, was united in the holy bonds of matrimony to Dr. John M. Patterson, of Lima, O. About seventy guests assembled to witness the nuptials the number including relatives, old family friends and girlhood associates of the bride. * * * The young couple were handsomely remembered by their friends, an array of silver, cut glass, linen and china testifying to the esteem in which they are held; among the gifs was a check for $150 from the bride's father. * * The ride is a young lady of many accomplishments, being especially gifted in oratory, having graduated from two schools of expression—one at Heidelburg in Tiffin, O., and the other the Fox school at Columbus, O. The groom is a promising young physician of Lima."

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FAMILY REUNION.

The Philip Copeland family held their family reunion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Stubbs on New Year's day. At a family dinner a year ago given at the home of Mrs. Clem Leatherman it was resolved that as many of the family as could would always spend New Year's day together.

While absent members were missed all did ample justice to the splendid dinner prepared and the day was altogether a happy one. In the afternoon a musical program was carried out. This New Year's Day will be remembered by Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Copeland and daughter, Nella, Mrs. Wm. Stubbs, Miss Mary Copeland, Mr. and Mrs. Clem Leatherman and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Stubbs, Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Stubbs and son. The absent ones of the family were Lewis Copeland, wife and son, of Virginia; Wm. Stubbs, H. A. Cook and family and Miss Leola Copeland. Late in the afternoon they departed for their homes, thinking the day far too short.

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SILVER WEDDING.

One of the most enjoyable events of the holiday week, Dec. 30, 1905, from 6 to 10 p. m., was the twenty-fifth marriage anniversary of Rev. and Mrs. Primus Alston at the parsonage on west Spring street. At 7 o'clock the guests began to arrive and by eight o'clock the house was well filled. The rooms were very beautifully decorated in green and white where the guests were received. At half past eight the guests repaired to the church, being led by the pastor and his wife, where they were served to a three course supper.

Mrs. J. C. Lyns, of Delaware, O., Mrs. Rosa Johnson, of Cleveland, O., Mrs. Ida Perrin, of Troy, were the guests of Rev. and Mrs. Alston.

There were eighty-eight guests present and equally as many regrets received. The evening was spent in a social way, also the extending of congratulations to Rev. and Mrs. Alston for being so fortunate as to be permitted to celebrate the occasion. Besides the purse of silver the presents were numerous and beautiful.

At 11 o'clock they separated for their homes, leaving behind them best wishes for many returns.

There were a number of visitors in the city who were also present. The following young ladies assisted in receiving: Codona Andrews, Hattie Day, Jennie Bizzell and Sadie Alston.

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Cloyd Roush and family have returned to their home in Chicago, after spending the holidays with his father Theodore Roush, of Elizabeth street.

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Mrs. Edward J. Green is here from Los Angeles, Cal., visiting her mother, Mrs. Anna Bowsher, at 332 Ewing avenue.

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R. L. Evans and Harry Strait, of Van Wert, were in this city on business yesterday.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Jervis, of Omaha, are visiting Mrs. Jervis' brother, I. N. Pangle, and family.

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ROMANTIC MARRIAGE.

Last evening at seven o'clock at the Trinity Methodist parsonage, the Reverend Joseph Avann officiating, Miss Irene Royce and Alfred Gorman were united in marriage. The bride is a pretty belle from Carlisle, Kentucky, and the groom is a Florida man. The marriage was of the nature of an elopement as the bride's parents opposed her marriage at so young an age. The young couple were attended by Miss Rola Kenny, who accompanied the bride from Carlisle, and Mr. Virgil Knisley, of this city. The wedding dinner was served at the home of the bride groom's aunt, Mrs. William Sites, at 474 east McKibben street.

The young couple will leave on their honeymoon trip, for New York, at six o'clock tonight, after which time they will be at home in Jacksonville, Florida, where Mr. Gorman will be joint owner and manager of the Empire Theatre of that city.

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Mrs. Wm. Bresler, 1008 east High street, is visiting her daughter in Muncie, Ind.

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Mrs. L. B. Martin and children have returned to their home in Cleveland after a pleasant visit with relatives.

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Mr. J. D. Jones is confined to his home on south Elizabeth street with ulsers on the eye ball.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Eilerman and family have returned home from a two weeks' visit with relatives in Newport and Covington, Kentucky, and Cincinnati, O.

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Misses Helen Davis and Ada Zaenglein, of Wapakoneta, were Lima visitors yesterday afternoon.

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Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Carroll, of north West street, are home from a two weeks' visit with Mrs. Carroll's relatives in Kalida.

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Mrs. J. E. Riddle has returned to her home in Wapakoneta, after spending several days visiting Lima friends.

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Mrs. A. G. Small and sons have returned from a visit of a week with relatives in Ft. Wayne.

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SAPPHO MUSICAL.

At the Sappho meeting at the home of Mrs. E. V. Wells, west Spring street, yesterday afternoon the following program was rendered:

Music of the British Isles.
Duet—Symphony No. 3 ..Stanford
Mrs. Southard and Mrs. Thomson.
Voice—"Break, Break, Break" ... .Boott
Mrs. Kahle.
Piano—Rondeau a' la Polonaise, op. 37 ....Bennett
Mrs. Lamison.
Voice—Native Land .....Mattei
Mrs. Wells.
Reading ....Mrs. Banta
Duet—Night, Hymn at Sea ....Goring Thomas
Mrs. Collins and Mrs. Standish
The Welsh in Music
Mrs. Miller.
Voice—Spring Song ....Sir A. C. Mackenzie
Mrs. Baxter.
"The Ash Grove" ....Arranged by D. Emlyn Evans
Mesdames Melly, Baxter, Wells, Longsworth, Banta, Truesdale, Feltz and Kahle.

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DUPLICATE WHIST.

The Ladies' Duplicate Whist Club and a few guests were entertained by Mrs. Paul Agerter at her home on south Macdonel street yesterday afternoon. The decorations were of holly, mistletoe and bells. At the close of the game a delicious two course luncheon was served by Miss Bessie Agerter, Miss Hilda Baxter and Miss Dorothy Downing. The guests present were Mrs. A. B. Gray, Mrs. Brotherton, Miss Francis Metzger, Mrs. Creps, Mrs. W. T. Agerter, Mrs. S. D. Downing, Mrs. McCullough and Mrs. Mert Scalts.

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MOORE-TAYLOR.

The marriage of Miss Edith Taylor, of this city, and Mr. H. J. Moore, of Toledo, which occurred recently has just been made public. Miss Taylor is the charming young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Taylor, and Mr. Moore, who formerly lived in Marion, is at present a prosperous young shoe merchant of Toledo. Congratulations are extended.

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Miss Louise Lowe, of Haverhill, Mass., arrived here yesterday and will be the guest of Miss Kathryn Oxley.

SECENE FROM "YORK STATE FOLKS, AT THE FAUROT, THIS EVENING.

CLUB ORGANIZED.

Another club, composed of Bridge Whist devotees, has recently been organized, a meeting being held at the home of Mrs. Everett Furnas, in the Phoenix Flat building, yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Carl Fletcher held the high score, and received a box of stationery as a prize.

The members of the club are Miss Minnie Herold, Miss Bonnie Miesse, Mrs. Carl Fletcher, Mrs. Jerry Orthwine, Mrs. Charles Herbst, Mrs. Everett Furnas, Mrs. Will Davis, Mrs. Robert Finnell, Miss Harriet Hover, Miss Roena Jackson, Miss Edna Francis and Mrs. Shields. The club will meet on alternate Thursdays, the next meeting being Jan. 18th, with Mrs. Carl Fletcher, of the Miller flats.

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Misses Helen and Elizabeth Russell, of St. Marys, returned home last evening, after spending their holiday vacation with Miss Gretchen Moehning, of south Central avenue.

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Charles and Miss Anna Dreus have returned to their home in Chicago, after a brief visit with Miss Millie Haverbeck, of north Elizabeth street.

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Prof. Pears, the newly elected representative of this district, and wife will attend the inaugural ball in Columbus, Monday evening. They will remain in Columbus all of next week.

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Miss Gertrude Brecher, who has been the guest during the holidays of her sister, Mrs. Harry L. Snyder, of east Elm street, will return to her home in Terre Haute, Ind., tomorrow. Mrs. Snyder will accompany her.

TOWNSEND'S SATURDAY SPECIAL.

Fine Granulated Sugar, 25 lbs. $1.30
Navy Beans, 4 lbs. for 15c
Runkle's Cocoa, ½ lb. can....19c
Runkel's Chocolate, ½ lb. can..15c
15c Corn, 2 cans for 23c
10c Corn, 2 cans for 15c
Fine Buckwheat, 5 lbs. for 15c
Beef Boil, 6 lbs. for 25c
Beef Roast, per lb.....7c
Beef Steak, per lb.....8c

BASKET BALL

Tonight, Auditorium, White Stars vs. Lima H. S. Dancing after game. Admission, 25c.

6 lbs. NEW YORK BUCKWHEAT 25c, DIMOND BROS.

LARGE

CROWD WILL WITNESS THE BASKET BALL GAME THIS EVENING AT THE AUDITORIUM.

A large crowd will attend the basket ball game this evening at the Auditorium, between the White Stars and the High School teams. Dancing after the game.

NOTICE.

Royal Neighbors of America: Regular meeting in Gazette hall Saturday evening, Jan. 6. All officers and members are expected to be present.
Recorder.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, with conveniences, with or without board. 320 north Elizabeth street. 5-3t*

Explosion Kills 21 and Wrecks Big Mine.

BLAST IN WEST VIRGINIA COAL FIELDS IS FATAL—MEN ARE BAFFLED IN RESCUE.

Bluefield, W. Va., Jan. 5.—Twenty-one miners were entombed today in a shaft of the Coaldale colliery in Elkhorn mountain by a terrific explosion of gas, and all of the victims were either killed by the explosion or suffocated by gas. The surrounding country was shaken by the detonation as by an earthquake. The shaft was blocked for nearly its entire length by the blast and rescuers who worked last night in the debris have little hopes of securing the bodies of the miners. Three were white men and eighteen colored. All the machinery was blown to pieces.

One of the miners was found several hundred feet from the shaft, having been blown there, together with a mining car, by the explosion. The body could not be identified.

News of the explosion soon spread through the Coaldale coal fields and a crowd of miners gathered to assist in the rescue. They were unable to enter the shaft for a time owing to the presence of poisonous gas.

Mr. Cooper, the owner of the mine is on the ground and is sparing nothing to relieve the situation. Nothing of consequence could be done until the air fans are put in position and the gas forced out for the rescuing party to enter.

Mr. Cooper, when seen, was unable to give the names of those entombed. There is no sign of fire in the mine at this hour.

IF TRAVELING IN JAPAN

Or any civilized country, you can procure Laxative Bromo Quinine from any druggist. All nations use it. E. W. Grove's signature on box. 3

An order which will be hailed with delight by the male members of the profession, but which has caused dismay among the ladies of the calling, has been issued by the New York Central Lines management. Notice has been served on all heads of departments employing stenographers and clerks that henceforth only men will be given positions, and all female employes have been given thirty days notice that their services will be dispensed with. The orders throws two very efficient and reliable stenographers out of employment at the Lima Lake Erie shops and general offices.

PATHFINDERS TAKE NOTICE.

Each and every member of Oswego Lodge Pathfinders are earnestly requested to attend called meeing in the Eagle hall, corner Main and High streets, Friday evening, Jan. 5, 1906. Business of the utmost importance to come before said meeting. Do not fail to be there. By order of the President.

ON PROFESSIONAL BUSINESS.

Dr. Blattenberg, the veterinary surgeon, left this morning for Leipsic, having been called there by wire to treat a valuable horse.

6 lbs. NEW YORK BUCKWHEAT 25c, DIMOND BROS.

Finest Coffee at Townsend's.

NORVAL

Hotel Sold to Mine Host Dyer.

LATE OF THE WAGONER HOUSE AT SIDNEY—WILL TAKE CHARGE JANUARY 15.

Mine Host Dyer, late of the Wagoner House at Sidney, has bought of Messrs. Dow, the Hotel Norval, the deal being closed this morning. Mr. Dyer will take charge of the property January 15th.

CAN CORN 6c A CAN AT DIMOND BROS. 5-2t

BUSINESS

Has Been Very Poor and the Beautiful

PRODUCTION OF "THE REDEMPTION OF DAVID CORSON" PRESENTED HERE, HAS CLOSED.

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AMUSEMENTS

Few of the plays dealing with rural life can boast that in their composition there exists not, the mortgage, or the saw mill whose saw yearns for the blood of the hero, for even in the best of these plays, like Shore Acres, the lighthouse scene borders on the melodramatic. In "York State Folks" which comes to the Opera House tonight fresh from its success at the Majestic theatre in New York, even this element of the melodramatic is absent and the play is laid closely to the hearts of the country folk, relying for its great success upon the fidelity to the life of the rural dweller. Possibly it is the lack of straining for ultra dramatic effect that has made the play so successful.

See Townsend's Saturday Special.

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There are no straps to hang onto in the water wagon.

This weather is so nice that there is nothing to do but worry about what is coming.

Mr. Pattison can get more good ideas for his inaugural address from Governor Herrick's message.

All is reported quiet in Moscow. The undertakers will have a chance to catch up with their work.

The Smoot case is bound to be resumed. It was one of the things that couldn't be sworn off.

It may be inferred from reading Governor Herrick's message that he never liked a lobbyist anyhow.

Russian working men have abandoned the strike. They think there is more fun in an insurrection.

Of course if you should make the mistake of writing it 1905 your friends will overlook the inadvertency.

The man who retired James J. Hill seems to have made the mistake of not just getting the consent of Mr. Hill.

Take a few inches of snow, a little rain and liberal quantities of dirt, mix well, and you have an open winter.

A good thing about Santo Domingo affairs, they never get any worse than predicted in the reports from that country.

President Roosevelt shook hands with 9,052 people New Years. Think what a nice time you had compared to that!

The reform movement is still in progress. Carrie Nation has knocked a cigaret from the lips of a Texas newspaper reporter.

If congress does nothing else it will earn its salary by defeating seven-eighths of the bills that have already been introduced.

The insurance investigation is ended. Pessimistic people who thought it never would end have another guess coming.

The water wagon is not a rapid transit vehicle, nevertheless those who ride on it usually get home earlier than those who do not.

There is a natural tendency to inquire who will run this country while Walter Wellman is flying around in search of the North Pole.

Uncle Russell Sage is ninety years old, but he not too feeble to get out of bed and loan money to people willing to pay 90 per cent interest.

Bob Fitzsimmons' wife says he had no artistic sense. Nevertheless he used to give the best of 'em some black-eyes that an artist's brush couldn't successfully imitate.

The new mayor of Columbus has outlined his policy and promises to put the lid on. The people of Columbus are to be congratulated on knowing what to expect from the new chief executive.

It will take about all of 1906 for some of the insurance companies to regain the confidence of the people.

Russia is getting ready to celebrate Christmas. In other words, she is endeavoring to avoid the rush.

Mr. Carnegie uses a pipe organ instead of an alarm clock to awaken him in the morning. Notwithstanding all the good New Year's resolutions there will be a lot of men who will continue to be awakened by thirst.

Bob Fitzsimmons thinks his wife married him for his money. It will be well for Cupid to keep away from the old solar plexus discoverer for a few weeks.

Mr. Carnegie says the world has seen its last great war. This is the reverse of what Prof. E. Benjamin Andrews says. It is probably too much for two such eminent prophets to agree.

When congressmen and legislators are forced to pay car fare they will be more likely to have their eyes opened to a number of things in connection with railroads that need reforming.

A London newspaper wants President Roosevelt to deny that he hopes the liberal party may win in England. If the President entertains any such hope it is useless for anybody to try to get him to deny it.

Lieutenant Governor Harding is reported to have said that the present state senate is the best, intellectually and morally, Ohio has had in thirty years. It is evident that Mr. Harding resolved to begin the new year by saying something pleasant.

"For the next two years, there is no reason why the expenditures of the state should be greater than they have been for the last two years," says Governor Herrick. It will not be an evidence of statesmanship if the legislature should find a reason.

Congressman Bourke Cockran says the events to come in Washington this year will make clear the issues of the next national campaign. This will be a surprise to people who may have had the idea that the issues of the next campaign were concealed on the person of William Jennings Bryan.

"HOMELESS TWENTY-SIX."

Lonely Traveling Men's Organization Forms Branch Society at Chicago.

"The Homeless Twenty-Six," whose regular habitat, as nearly as can be determined, is somewhere within Pittsburg, Pa., recently sent two wandering delegates to Chicago to organize some of the floating population of that city into a local branch, apparently for no other reason than that misery loves company, says the Chicago Inter Ocean.

Contrary to what might be expected, the society, although labeled "homeless" and identified by a strange, unintelligible badge worn by the members which looks like an algebraic formula, is not composed of "Wandering Willies" and dusty tie pacers, but is made up of traveling, business and professional men.

Twenty-six is the mystic number, because twenty-six traveling men, unable to reach their homes last Thanksgiving, which was on Nov. 26, ate dinner together at a hotel in Pittsburg and became the charter members. From a membership of twenty-six the organization has increased to 6,500, with branches in several large cities. The intention of the members is to add Chicago to the list.

W. S. Williams and Hiram Schoch of Pittsburg, who are themselves of the original twenty-six, a few nights ago gathered together a hundred or more of the outcasts of Chicago who wear the badge of the homeless and laid plans for regular gatherings, with headquarters at the Auditorium. No announcement was made as to who will be the executive head of the nomads, but undoubtedly it will be some prominent Chicago business or professional man.

"We first felt the need of an organization like this to promote sociability among traveling men when the original twenty-six found themselves stranded in Pittsburg last Thanksgiving," said Mr. Schoch.

"We wanted to enjoy our dinner in congenial company and got together for that purpose. Our stomachs started the movement, but our hearts were back of it and we are using our heads to make a success of the organization."

THE TWO MYSTERIES.

A Poem on Death by the Late Mary Mapes Dodge.

The death of Mrs. Mary Mapes Dodge, editor, writer of stories and poet, which occurred recently, gives touching appropriateness to this very human poem by her on death, which, by the way, has been widely attributed to Walt Whitman, says the New York Globe.

THE TWO MYSTERIES.

[In the middle of the room, near the coffin, sat Walt Whitman, holding a beautiful little girl on his lap. She looked wonderingly at the spectacle of death and then inquiringly into the face of the aged poet. "You don't know what it is, do you, my dear?" said he, and added, "We don't either."]

We know not what it is, dear, this sleep
So deep and still;
The folded hands, the awful calm, the
cheek so pale and chill,
The lids that will not lift again, though
we may call and call;
The strange white solitude of peace that
settles over all.

We know not what it means, dear, this
desolate heart pain;
This dread to take our daily way and
walk in it again;
We know not to what other sphere the
loved who leave us go
Nor why we are left to wonder still nor
why we do not know.

But this we know. Our loved and dead, if
they should come this day—
Should come and ask us, "What is life?"
not one of us could say.
Life is a mystery as deep as ever death
can be,
Yet, oh, how dear it is to us, this life we
live and see!

Then might they say—these vanished ones
—and blessed is the thought:
"So death is sweet to us, beloved, though
we may show you naught.
We may not to the quick reveal the mystery of death,
Ye cannot tell us, if ye would, the mystery of breath."

The child who enters life comes not with
knowledge or intent,
So all who enter death must go as little
children sent.
Nothing is known but, resting God, what
hath the soul to dread
And as life is to the living so death is to
the dead.

PATTISON'S INAUGURAL

OUTLINE OF POLICIES FAVORED BY THE NEXT GOVERNOR—WILL ADVOCATE RIGID ECONOMY—WILL TAKE ADVANCED GROUND ON TEMPERANCE QUESTION.

One Of The Strong Points in His Message Is The Enforcement Of The Laws And Sunday-Closing—Recommends The Abolition of The Inheritance Tax—Changes In The Municipal And Scohol Laws.

Columbus, O., Jan. 5.—Much interest centers in the inauguration address of Governor-elect Pattison, Ohio's reform executive. The legislators have organized and discussed many reforms, but without actually getting any measures under way. The question has arisen whether Pattison's message will be the key-note of the session. If it is to set the pace economy will be the watchword. Friends say he proposes to bring all of his business experience and ability to bear in an effort to give the people a good financial administration, and to reduce state expenses. He will recommend that the legislature abolish useless offices, and is said to have in mind the offices of oil inspectors and fire marshal, where the pay is said to be much out of proportion to the service rendered. His message will make clear cut demand for advanced temperance legislation.

Stronger Local Option Law.

Mr. Pattison will urge that the local option law be strengthened and that the people be given further means of combatting the saloons. In this connection he is likely to advocate county local option. Civil service will not be recommended. There will, however, be a statement of the purpose of the governor-elect to consider the qualification of appointees in point of ability rather than political service. Mention will be made of the demand for purity in politics. Government by bosses, he will say, has been a menace to the rights and property of decent citizens and the hope will be expressed that the people, having been aroused, will be alert to prevent a return to the system of corruption.

Favors Sunday Observance.

Law enforcement and Sunday observance will be among the strongest points in the message. A new school code will be demanded as an act of simple justice to the people.

Changes will be recommended in the municipal code with a view to securing better management of the public business He will urge that instead of centralized power, the people of the counties, cities and villages be given greater authority to regulate their own affairs. He will urge that no franchises be granted until approved by a vote of the people.

The question of issuing bonds by municipalities, he will say, should be decided in the same way.

Repeal of Inheritance Tax.

Pattison will strongly urge the repeal of the inheritance tax law. In order to overcome this loss of revenue, he will recommend that appropriations be closely scanned to keep out extravagance. What new sources of revenue may be required, he will declare, should apply to holders of special privileges and that a tax to meet the expenses of the state should not be levied on homes and farms.

Reform in the election and ballot laws will be set forth as of the utmost importance. A salary law for county officials instead of the iniquitous fee system will be recommended. The message will favor anti-pass legislation.

A Year of Moral Awakening.

If a nation's progress is to be reckoned by its moral and intellectual condition the year now ending has been distinctly one of advancement. In a large sense it has been a time of self-analysis and self-questioning, of a struggle toward better ideals, of a widespread house-cleaning movement taking in all departments of public life. Seldom has there been a twelvemonth in which so many outwardly imposing but unworthy idols have been swept from their pedestals. Seldom has there been a period in which the work of removing the coating of respectability from whited sepulchers has gone on at so brisk a pace. Men of questionable standards of conduct in business or politics, corrupt bosses, "paragon bankers" and lawless corporation managers have been cast out of public life or stamped with the stigma of public reproach with stern impartiality.

To assume that this unsettling of established tradition and demolition of popular idols had been a destructive process would be to misread wholly one of the chief lessons of the year. The downfall of the old regime means merely that a better one is coming to take its place. It means that the time has passed when any man or any agency having money behind it can command respect and continue to exert power simply by putting on an imposing front and placarding itself as respectable. Some of the idols that have fallen the hardest and made the loudest crash were the most eminently imposing of the lot Not a few of the men mixed up in the New York insurance scandals enjoyed the boundless confidence of the public until Lawyer Hughes began the inquisitorial operations

Much remains to be done, but the people have reason to congratulate themselves on the assurance that the conditions at the opening of 1906 are appreciably better than were those prevailing at the opening of the past year. The moral tone of the country it better. The public conscience is more sensitve. The men who lead in civic and commercial life are more fully awakened to a sense of their responsibilities Standards of honor and honesty have been raised and the reprobation falling on those who fail to meet them has become correspondingly severe Altogether the nation has reason to feel that the year 1905 was one of progress in the best sense and that the present year will see still further advancement along the same line. Chicago News.

SOUTH SIDE.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Spring Street Lutheran church enjoyed a very pleasant afternoon with Mrs Peter Dingledine, of Madison avenue, and held their annual election. The new officers are Mrs David Hughes, president; Mrs. Peter Dingledine, vice president; Mrs. J W Robertson, secretary; Mrs Clarence Atmur, treasurer.

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Mr and Mrs. W H Nebergall, of Hughes avenue, entertained a few days his mother, Mrs. J. L. Nebergall, of Marion, and his sister, Mrs. Jennie Stall, of Columbus, who returned to their homes yesterday.

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Mr. and Mrs Roy Crider, of St. John's avenue, attended the funeral of her sister, Mrs. Merkle, in Cridersville, yesterday

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The three meat markets near the corner of Main and Vine streets give notice that they will hereafter keep closed on Sunday.

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The C L Davis family yesterday moved from south Central avenue into their recently purchased property on east Third street.

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Mrs. Kittie McCoy, of west Circular, yesterday entertained Mrs T L. Carr and daughter, of Spencerville

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Merchant I N Tracy was a business caller yesterday from Spencerville

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John McGuire yesterday moved his family from 611 Second street to 735 Greenlawn avenue. John is to be one of the pushers in the new Mahon grocery, and very naturally wants "next" to his trick.

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Frank Camper, of east Vine, a boilermaker at the Locomotive works if off duty with stomach trouble Mr. Camper has been ailing for several weeks, but continued at work until a few days ago.

TRIBUTE TO A CHINAMAN.

Irrigon (Ore.) Regrets the Departure of Honest Ging Yick.

A fine gold watch was presented to Ging Yick a few days ago on his departure for home in the Flowery Kingdom, says the Irrigon (Ore) Irrigator. It was presented by the people of Irrigon in token of the high esteem in which Ging is held and bore this inscription, "To Ging Yick from his Oregon friends, Aug. 5, 1905."

Ging Yick has left us and gone to China, the land of his birth, where a loving wife and family yearn for his coming. He has not seen them for over eight years, and there is among them one son, now almost eight years old, whom he has never seen.

Ging has been in the employ almost constantly for seventeen years of some member of the present Oregon Land and Water company, and for nearly three years he has been at this place, cooking in camp, in cook house and finally in the hotel. He and Mr. Holbrook were the pioneers of Stokes, now Irrigon.

There are people who do not like our almond eyed Celestial friends. They call them "chinks" and think them an inferior race, unfit to deal or associate with. To all such we would point to our friend Ging. He was a cook. He never posed for more than he was, but there is not a person in the state of Oregon who did his duty better, more honorably and honestly or in a pleasanter, gentler way than did Ging.

The editor of the Irrigator is not a worshiper of the yellow man. He believes that for many reasons they will never, can never, assimilate with the great English speaking family. But we do believe in giving yellow men, brown or black men credit—full credit—when they perform their duty exceptionally well.

And Ging did more than this. He did it always cheerfully, always promptly, and he had the intuition to do the right thing at the right time. And over and above and beyond this he was honest clear down to his toes, not because he was watched or because he feared detection, but because it was his nature to be honest and loyal and true.

He goes to China never to return. He cannot come back owing to the laws of our country, but he does not care much, for he has been frugal and saving and ranks as a rich man at home. But we often wish that there was some elasticity to the exclusion act, some clause that would allow such men as Ging to go and come at will, for we who know him best know him to be a man who would only honor our country by returning.

Bertillon's "Speaking Portraits."

M Bertillon, who created the anthropometric method of identifying criminals, superintended some fresh methods at the Palais de Justice recently, says the Washington Post's special correspondent at Paris. The innovation is known as the "speaking portrait." One hundred and two members of the detective and other services were present. To each one was given a verbal "portrait"—that is to say, a description of one of his colleagues present—and he was asked to find in the assembly the one to whom the portrait applied The experiments were highly satisfactory. Nearly all the detectives found their man. M. Bertillon was warmly congratulated by Signor Nicefero, professor of criminology at the University of Naples, who witnessed the tests, which took place in public.

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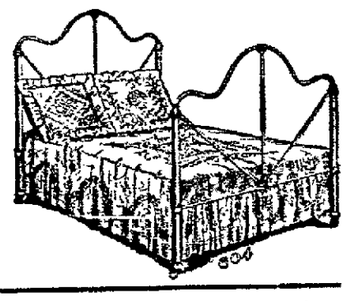

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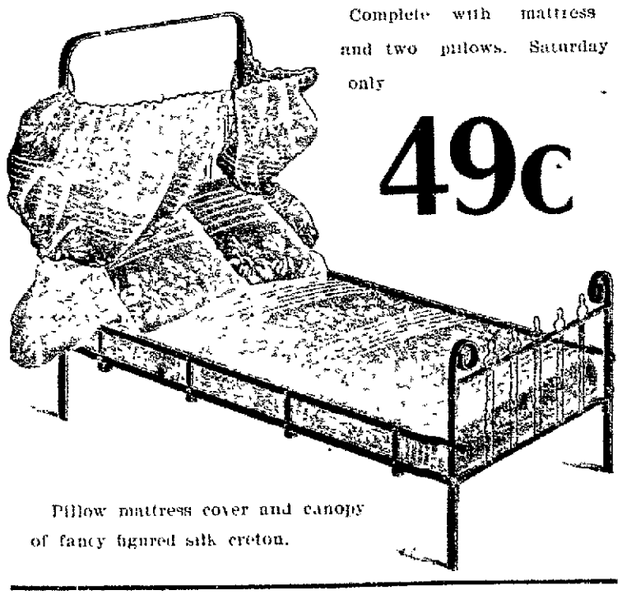

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